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## Iran hits Baghdad ceasefire fails

BAGHDAD, Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Iran has violated Iraq's unilateral ceasefire by sending its warplanes to raid Baghdad and other Iraqi cities, official sources said Sun-

Meanwhile, Iraqi troops outside the embattled Iranian port of Khorramshahr observed a brief ceasefire Sunday morning but resumed shelling in response to what they

#### Soviets offer aid

TEHRAN, Oct. 5 (AFP) - The Soviet Union is ready to grant military aid to Iran, the Pars news agency reported here Sunday quoting the Soviet ambassador in Tehran. According to the agency, the offer was made at a two-hour meeting Saturday between Prime Minister Muhammad Ali Raisi and Soviet Ambassador Vladimir Vinogradov.

said was Iranian fire.

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Troops near Kherramshahr said they stopped shooting at 5 a.m. in line with the previously announced Iraqi unilateral ceasefire in the Gulf war nearly two weeks old. But the troops said Iranian forces, whose leaders have said they will fight on until the Iraqis are driven from their soil, violated the ceasefire with artillery, Iraqi forces then resumed firing about 11.30 a.m.

Reporters in the area saw a battery of about eight 130-millitmeter Soviet-made howitzers stationed just north of Khorramshahr firing intermittent salvoes at Iranian artillery positions south of the city. Hidden nearby in groves of palm trees were hundreds of military vehicles, including tanks, trucks

Iraq claimed early in the war that it had captured Khorramshahr, but Sunday Awad Ramzi, commander of Iraqi forces at the western approaches of the city, said there was still house-to-house fighting inside the city. "We now occupy the port," he told reporters. "But it's a very big town and some of the lranians are still there."

In a briefing on the Baghdad bombing, a high-ranking Iraqi official read a statement that said: "The Iranian side has not observed the ceasefire which was called for by the Iraqis as of this morning. Iranian warplanes mounted two raids on Baghdad.

"The Iranian air force commander is insisting on proceeding with its air adventures, sending Iranian planes to raid Baghdad and other cities, despite the enormous losses he is suffering.

The statement said the Iranian air force bas lost half of its planes and that Iraqi forces had shot down 70 per cent of the jet fighters tran has sent on raids into Iraq.

The official would not answer questions about whether or not Iraqi forces would retaliate, but Iraqi Defense Minister Gen. Adnan Khairallah said Saturday that any movement of Iranian forces during the unilateral cease-fire would render the truce "null and void."

The statement said Iraq also had information that there were severe shortages of flour and other foodstuffs and fuel oil in Iran. It said revolutionary guards were washing anti-Khomeini slogans from the walls of Tehran buildings every morning. Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini is Iran's revolutiooary

### Kuwait decrees conscription plan

KUWAIT. Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Provisions for declaring a state of emergency if necessary in Kuwait were published here Sunday.

A decree promulgated by Kuwaiti ruler Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad Al Sabah provided for general mobilization for those between 18 and 50 years of age, the extension of military service according to the needs of the armed forces and the call-up of reservists.

Also under the provisions the ministers of power to arrest or expel all citizens of 18 or over of an "enemy" country or one with which diplomatic relations have been

Officials here stressed the decree was to fill a gap in Kuwaiti legislation and the measure did not apply as a state of emergency had not been declared. The Kuwaiti armed forces number some 10,000 men.

According to New Zealand's Prime Ministet Robert Muldoon, the United States no ... or considers ungent the setting up of an international fleet to keep the Hormuz Strait

lunch in Washingtoo Saturday with American Secretary of State Edmund Muskie, said Muskie felt the war was slowing.



## Hussein open with support for Iraqis

view of our feelings for our Arab neighbor I can now say we are with Iraq."

further on the statement.

Hussein has pledged military aid for Irau and officials in Jordan have said Iraqi transport planes bave sheltered on Jordanian soil from Iranian air strikes. But there has been no indication of Jordan sending troops or

leader to voice open support in favor of Iraq

Hussein and Prime Minister Mudar Badran returned Sunday to Amman.



BAGHDAD, Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Jordan's King Hussein publicly announced his support for Iraq in the two-week long war with Iran Sunday after a 24-hour visit to the Iraqi capital. "We are with Iraq," he said,

according to Baghdad radio.

Iran bas ignored all previous agreements with Iraq," the king was quoted as saying. "In

The Jordanian monarch did not elaborate

joining the battle on Iraq's side,

The Jordanian monarch was the first Arab at the start of the war between the two Gulf nations. In an interview published in Paris Saturday, Hussein offered military support to

Jordanian-Iraqi relations have been growing closer in the recent years since Baghdad slackened its ties with the Soviet Union and abandoned its extreme radical policies in the

Diplomatic sources said Hussein had already given practical help by allowing Iraqi transport aircraft to use Jordanian air force bases as safe bavens in the first days of the



## In Saudia disaster probe Pilot's delay questioned

JEDDAH, Oct. 5 (SPA) — The fire that broke out aboard Saudia's TriStar flight No. 163, and resulted in the death of all 287 passengers and 14 crew members, began in the

Department officials said Sunday. The report questioned the pilot's bandling of the situation, saying it was a prime factor in the events that resulted in the aircraft's burn-

luggage compartment, Saudi Civil Aviation

The department's communique was based on the conclusions of a high-level, 40-meter international commission of enquiry.

Experts from Saudia and other countries recently completed the first stage of the investigation. Officials said the cause of the fire has not been determined yet. Remains of the wreckage are being analyzed in the Kingdom, the United States and Britain in an effort to determine the exact cause.

The commission ruled out the possibility of explosive charges. First reports mentioned butane cooking stoves that were used by passengers in the rear of the plane, but the expert's report proved the fire undoubtedly started in the luggage compartment. However, the use of cooking stoves might bave complicated matters, the report said.

Data used by the board of enquiry on the Aug. 19 tragedy came from the control tower's recording equipment, the cockpit's black box, records of the crew members and maintenance staff, and eye witnesses.

The commission found that passengers died from asphyxiation as the fire consumed the cabin's oxygen. The commission said the crew could not do its job correctly with fire extinguishers since the fire was in the luggage compartment and not in the cabin.

The commission found the doors and emergency exits could have been opened, if not electrically then manually, bad the crew not been asphyxiated. Another factor, the report said, was that the cabin crew was sepa-rated by mounds of bodies in front of the

The report antributed unnecessary delays to the pilot in adding to the problems for the place and passengers. Eleven minutes after the Jeddah-bound flight departed from

ביים ביו zirport, an optical and sonar alarm in the cockpit signaled the presence of smoke in one luggage compartment underneath the tail. Instead of turning back immediately, me pilot had the crew check for a malfunction in

the alarm. Five "precious" minutes were lost. And instead of landing the plane and stopping immediately to evacuate the passengers according to emergency procedures, the captain taxied the plane to the end of the runway, according to the report. By this time the fire had gained in intensity and the smoke spread to the area where passengers amassed in the front of the plane.

· Recordings also showed the captain did not notify the crew of the emergency or order them to brace themselves before landing and evacuate the passengers from the emergency

a day earlier.

Meanwhile a letter to Assad said to be written by Gaston Thorn, the European Economic Community's envoy to the Middle East, demanded that Syria be included in any

quoted Thorn as telling Assad.

"There can be no just and comprehensive peace without Syria," Thorn said, according

Brezhnev's message came as Assad prepared for an official visit to Moscow in mid-October during which be is expected to sign a treaty of friendship and cooperation or a defense pact that would upgrade Syrian-

The independent Beirut newspaper An

exits.

When the plane landed, eye witnesses nonced that there was only smoke inside and no fire. Tower controllers, who were talking with the cockpit crew, said they could not see any fire on the outside of the aircraft. At that time. fire trucks moved alongside the aircraft and were prepared to take any necessary action, but needed to wait for the plane to come to a standstill and shut down the engines before they could go near the plane and open the doors.

However, when the plane halted, the engines were not shut down, nor were the doors and emergency exits opened from inside. The experts said it is exactly at that time that the density of smoke and poisonous gases increased inside the plane so quickly that the oxygen was exhausted.

The commission found that all the plane's pilots were qualified, that the plane was in rood condition with sound maintenance, that the control tower was properly equipped and its personnel able to do their job, that the airport for fighting squad was properly equipped and properly postioned to intervene and that the measures taken by the Saudi Civil Aviation Authority and Saudia to ensure the safety of air transport in the Kingdom were safe and sound.

The commission included experts from the Civil Aviation Authority, Saudia, the U.S. Federal Aviation Board, the National Council for Air Travel Safety in the United States, the International Civil Aviation Organization affiliated to the United Nations, the Accidents Inquiry Bureau in Britain, Lockheed and Trans World Airlines.



INVESTIGATION: Ministry officials began their probe into the airline disaster at Riyadh Ang. 19 in which 301 were killed.

## 19 killed in Gulf rig accident

BAHRAIN, Oct. 5 (Agencies) — A team of disaster specialists hoped to make their first attempt Sunday to cap an out of cootrol oil rig in the Gulf where 19 men died in a cloud of poison, gas.

The U.S.-owned rig bas been belching wdrogen s day's blowout. A spokesman for the Arabian American Oil Company (Aramco) said the team from the disaster company run by Texan Red Adair would try to board the rig Sunday and cap the well.

The gas cloud suffocated 19 men and put 19 others in the hospital. The 38 other crewmen scrambled to safety on liferafts and by helicopter.

The rig. operated for Aramco by Reading and Bates offshore drilling company, struck a dense pocket of gas 100 miles north of the oil terminal of Ras Tanura.

The dead bave not been identified, but a

survivor, Filipino Elsie Caraig, said from hospital in Dhahran that they included Filipinos, Pakistanis and Europeans. The U.S. consulate in Dhahrao said two Americans were among those killed.

Caraig said he watched the workmen collapse on the deck as gas and oil spurted from the well bead. Some of the crew tried to put on oxygen masks but were too late, be added. Some survivors were plucked from liferafts in the sea.

Hospital sources said two of the men affected by the gas were unconscious when they reached the Aramco hospital in Dhahran. But all 19 were recovering and some had been released.

A spokesman of the Ministry of Petroleum and Mineral Resources said that there was no fire but attempts to control the gas leakage had failed, which led to abandoning the well until adequate equipment and experts were assembled to tackle it.

## Kremlin backs Syrians' role in M.E. peace

DAMASCUS, Syria Oct. 5 (AP) - Soviet Communist Party leader Leonid Brezhnev on Sunday pledged the Kremlin's solid support for Syria in its opposition to the U.S.sponsored Camp David agreement between Egypt and Israel for an overall Middle East

Brezhnev reaffirmed the Soviet pledge in a telegram of congratulations be dispatched 10 Syrian President Hafez Assad on his 50th birthday on Oct. 6. The Syrian official news agency Sana released the text of the telegram

comprehensive peace in the Middle East. The Syrian news agency also reported the

arrival of this letter from Thorn, Luxembourg's foreign minister, who said Assad played "an essential role" in Mideast affairs. 'Syria's stands have a decisive influence on the situation in the Middle East," the agency

to the agency.

Soviet relations. "I am confident that developing and

deepening Syrian-Soviet relations will serve the interests of our nations and the cause of peace in the Middle East," Brezhnev said.

Syrian officials have been speaking about a "qualitative leap" in improving relations with Moscow as a prelude for massive arms shipments designed to establish military parity between Syria and Israel.

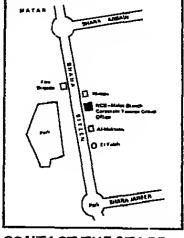
Nahar quoted Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam as telling its U.N. correspondent that Assad's upcoming visit would consolidate Soviet-Arab relations in a way that would cement the Arab confrontation

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## action against USSR

UNITED NATIONS, Oct. 5 (AP) - The slamic Conference of 38 countries and the Palestine Liberation Organization moved here Saturday to get the current U.N. General Assembly to call for withdrawal of Soviet

troops from Afghanistan. Pakistani Foreign Minister Agha Shahi, after presiding over a private ministerial ses-

BONN, Oct. 5 (R) - The coalition headed by Chancellor Helmut Schmidt seemed likely to win a comfortable victory Sunday when West Germans elected a new parliament.

An opinion poll published Sunday suggested that Schimdt, leader of the Social Democratic-Liberal (SPD-FDP) coalition, and FDP chief Hans-Dietrich Genscher won many undecided voters in Thursday's television debate with conservative opposition

The survey, published by the Sunday newspaper Welt am :onning, said 49 per cent of the previously undecided voters thought the SPD-FDP leaders came out best in the debate, while only 41 per cent thought opposition leader Franz Josef Strauss won.

Strauss, 65, candidate of the Christian

sion of the conference, read reporters a communique announcing creation of an open-ended committee to draft a resolution on Afghanistan for submission to the assem-

He said the committee was "instructed to bear in mind the principles set forth in the previous resolution of the Islamic conference

win predicted Democrats and the Christian Social Union, wound up the campaign in his native Bavaria apparently undaunted by predictions of vic-

tory for Schmidt. In calling for an "bistoric shift" in German politics after 11 years of left-liberal rule, the Bavarian prime minister said he wanted to stop "the march along the one-way street to the socialist social order and a neutralized

Енторе." Strauss had argued throughout the campaign that Schmidt was wrecking Bonn's traditional ties with the United States and being soft in his dealings with the Sovier union. The chancellor had derided his opponent as a "bull in a China shop" who lacked the ability to pursue detente with West Germany's neighbors or preserve domestic stability.

of foreign ministers." That resolution, adopted at meeongs in Islamabad, Pakistan, last May 17-22. demanded "the immediate, total and unconditional withdrawal of all Soviet troops stanoned on the territory of Afghanistan."

The U.N. General Assembly shied away from mentioning the nationality of the interlopers when it voted 104-18 with 18 obstentions last Jan. 14 to call for "the immediate. total and unconditional withdrawal of all the foreign troops from Afghanistan."

That resolution was adopted at the assem-

bly's sixth emergency session, arranged after

the Soviet Union vetoed a somewhat similar resolution in the Security Council. Now in its three-month 35th regular scssion, the assembly has agreed to debate the situation in Afghanistan again Nov. 3-5.

Named to be nucleus of the newly created Islamic drafting committee were: Algeria. Bangladesh, Guinea, Indonesia, Iran, Kuwait, Morocco, Pakisian, Senegal and Tunisia, plus the Islamic Conference Secretary-General, Habib Chatti, also a

All those countries voted for the resolution of the emergency session except Algeria and Guinea, which abstained.

#### Ministry commissions SR31m projects

## National firms win contracts

RIYADH, Oct. 5 (SPA) — The Ministry of Municipal and Rural Affairs Saturday eommissioned six projects totalling SR31,250,000 to national firms. The projects are to be carried out within two years. They include a water network at Al-Onwayeyya.

and permanent surfacing at Hawtat Sudair, Shaqra, Hawtat Bani Tamim, Al-Kharj and Al-Zalfi.

Meanwhile, the board of Riyadh's Water and Sewage Department meeting under

To inspect services

## Jazaeri visits hospital

QASIM, Qct. 5 (SPA) — Health Minister Dr. Hussain Jazaeri is visiting the Oasim Region to inspect medical services, meet officials in charge of the services and try to solve their Dr. Jazaeri visited Unaizah hospital Sun-

day. He inspected the work and met doctors and officials. Earlier in the day, he visited Rass hospital and emphasized the necessity of providing the best services to parlents, in a - speech to the hospital's personnel.

Dr. Jazaeri said several companies has been invited to bid for a project for a regional - hospital in Buraidah. The hospital will comprise 500 beds and will serve as a major hos-, pital in the region, to which difficult cases will be transferred from the region's other hospitals. The hospital will include all specializa-

The minister said that he met Oasim Governor Prince Abdul Illah in Taif recently. They discussed health conditions in the region and sought solutions to its problems.

Dr. Jazaeri arrived in Qasim earlier in the morning for a working visit to inspect health services in the region.

### French industry delegation arrives

DAMMAM, Oct. 5 (SPA) - A delegation from the French International Chamber of

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Maghreb	6:07	6:07	5:36				
Isha	7:37	7:36	7:06				

Paris visiting the Kingdom met with officials of the Eastern Province Chamber of Commerce and Industry. They discussed trade exchange between the Kingdom and France and cooperation between the two chambers.

The Eastern Province Chamber of Commerce and Industry has organized a special visits program for the French delegation to bistoric sites. The delegation arrived in Dhahran Saturday from France to begin its visit to the Kingdom. The French delegation will visit commerce and industry chambers in Riyadh and Jeddah,

Deputy Governor of Riyadh Prince Sattam, who is also the board's vice chairman. approved a project Saturday to pump the capital's sewage... bids will be invited soon.

In Dammam, a meeting of the board of the area's Water and Sewage Départment under Governor of the Eastern Province Prince Abdul Mohsen ibn Jiluwi, the chairman discussed a whole set of projects to be commissioned after the necessary studies have been done. Among the proposals that were examined by the board was the transfer of the maintenance of sewage networks in Dammam and Al-Khobar to national firms instead of the department itself. The project involves replacing some pipes in the network in Dammam. The SR34,491,650 contract was commissioned to an international firm. The board also decided to commission the SR14,970,500 project for the maintenance of the Al-Khobar network to a Saudi firm.

Temperatures will rise in the northwestern, and parts of the western regions. In other areas, the weather is expected to be moderate. Humidity will increase in the western coast and fog may form, in the early morning, in parts of the eastern

Winds will be between easterly and southerly, and moderate in the northwestern and western regions. They may cause sand baze. Inother areas, winds will be variable and light to moderate.

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ANNIVERSARY: Five hundred people attended the party given by the Korean Ambassador here Yie Joon Changon the occasion of the National Day and the Armed Forces Day of his country Saturday. A large number of diplomats, senior officials, sponsors of Korean companies and Korean company executives attended.

#### ne releases new directories Teleph

JEDDAH, Oct. 5 - Saudi Telephone subscribers in Jeddah and Mecca are now receiving their new telephone directories. announced District Managers Rabea Dahlan (Jeddah) and F. Ashrav (Mecca).

The holy city of Mecca received its own separate directory, reflecting its importance in the Kingdom. The publication of the two directories brings the total number issued by Saudi Telephone to five. Later in the year, Taif, Abha and Dammam will be given new

The distribution of the Jeddah and Mecca directories provides a vivid example of the success of the expansion program, the officials said. The new edition, the second for each city since the beginning of the program, contains a substantial increase in subscriber listings and telephone information, which reflects the popularity of all aspects of telephone service. The Arabic version of the Jeddah directory, for example, contains 538

and negotiate a settlement to save the Muslim

Among the issues discussed by the board

was uniting the beginning of months and fes-

tivals on the Hijra calender, The Islamic fore-

ign ministers conference of Islamabad bas

recommended the World Muslim League and

the Organization of the Islamic Conference

to prepare a memoranda in the uniting of

The board discussed activities of the

league's offices and budget. Saqqa described

the current session as one of the successful

sessions that discussed many Muslim causes

and the progress of the call to Islam (Dawa).

Sunday the recommendations prepared by

the Drafting Committee. The board's meetings was attended by Sheikh Muhammad Ali

The board will approve in its last meeting

Hijra month beginning and festivals.

Aid for Chad refugees urged they are facing, Saqqa said. The board called on both sides fighting in Chad to stop the war

blood being shed.

Muslim League Institutional Board asked its general secretariat for immediate action to help Chad Muslims, and send tents to Chad refugees since winter is near, officials said here Saturday.

Muhammad Safwat Al-Saqqa, assistant secretary general of the WML, said a threemember committee that includes Sbeikh Muhammad Ali Al-Harakan, the general secretary, will go to Chad to aid the refugees who are living in a difficult condition.

The institutional board's meetings began last week under its chairman, Sbeikh Abdul Aziz ibn Baz, chairman of the departments of scholarly research, religious ruling, religious guidance and call to Islam. The meetings were to be concluded Sunday night.

The issue of Chad refugees was given priority by the board because of the bloodshed

In every directory the telephone company does its utmost to publish accurate listings, officials said. Among the special features in the new directories is a directory correction form. Saudi Telephone welcomes the assistance of subscribers in filling out this form if

there are any errors in the listing. The form should be sent to your subscription office. Other special directory features include a personal numbers listing page inside the back cover, emergency numbers list inside the front cover, national and international calling rates. locations of the subscription and payment offices, notes on using public coin telephone and information on international sub-

pages of information, compared to 302 pages in the previous edition — and increase of 20

per cent. Similarly, the Mecca directory bad a

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scriber dialing. The front cover of the Jeddah directory features a striking photograph of central Jeddah, dominated by the watertower. On the back cover is a picture of a microwave station rising above one of Saudi Telephone's new exchange offices. The Mecca directory's front cover shows a beautiful picture of the world famous mosque. The back cover depicts some of Saudi Telephone's modern telecommunications equipment.

The directories, which are available in both English and Arabic can be picked up by subscribers free of charge upon payment of any nutstanding bills at a Saudi Telephone payment office. Extra copies are available for

## New shipping line initiated between America and Gulf

JEDDAH, Oct. 5 — The Scharlotte Maersk line will leave New York bound for Jeddah and the Gulf this month, Saudi Busi ness reported. The line will be the first of a new, regular fortnightly container service from North America.

Maersk line, the Danish fleet, is to battle its way into the Kingdom's volumous North American freight run with the exact service it bad once agreed with the Kingdom's own

Saudi National Shipping Company (SNSC).

The government-backed SNSC had signed a letter of intent (SB Vol III, No 51) with Maersk for five-ship, SR35 million equal joint venture, Saudi-Maersk Line. It was cancelled earlier this year with the arrival of a new SNSC board which felt the eleven year old bulk cargo vessels Maersk would sell the line for conversion to container ships in Japan would be too old. And SNSC now has other

"Saudi National?" said one Jeddah shipping agent recently. "They've done nothing but talk. I'm more worried about Maersk."

And so Maersk Line's manager for the Kingdom, Knud Clausen, last week outlined the operation evidently confident that despite tight margins and substantial competition on the North American run, it would find customers and profit. Since 1975 when Maersk began a semi-

container service from the United States to the Gulf it became aware of the opportunities into Jeddah. Studies ensued, and the plan bad already emerged by the time SNSC began looking for partners to found the new com-Clausen stresses that regular timing will be

a key advantage for the five, 1,300 TEU (20 foot container equivalents) service. Departure from the 6 U.S. ports and arrival at the 6 Arabian ports will be formightly on fixed days of the week. The line will service Jeddah, Dubai,

Bahrain, Dammam, Jubail and Kuwait. In the U.S. it will stop at Houston, New Orleans, Savanah, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York: Maersk rail and truck feeders will connect it also to the West Coast, inland U.S. and Eastern Canada.

Clausen is coy about rates even though a number have already been filed with the U.S. authorities as they must be. Rates, usually per box or container for different commodities, can be varied but only after notice. They now vary from \$1900-2400 with a \$505 bunker surcharge, Clausen said,

Clearly the new line will be reserving final judgement on some of its rates as it feels its way into the market, though the Jeddah office already claims several takers for the first shipment which arrives in Jeddah on November 2.

Competition on the run is strong with regular services from Sealand, Barber Blues Sea, the United Arab Shipping Company and Nedloyd among others. None, bowever, Clausen claims bave quite the regularity of service Maersk will. Its former potential partner SNSC plans to build roro ships to carry up to 30 per cent of the market over the next few years.

There is no rate agreement from North America into Jeddah, though one bas been under discussion for some months. Maersk's bulk and container service into the Gulf which will cease with the new operation belonged to the 8900 rate agreement for the

Maersk's rates. Clausen said." will try to be

in line with the major carriers."

Maerskline, sponsored by Yusif Bin Ahmad Kanoo, is not looking for a joint venture partner on the new run, but "open to suggestions" in the quest for a share of the \$4,900 million 1979 U.S. exports to the Kingdom which are expected to rise to\$6,000 million this year. Among the special features Maersk

expects to offer are central computerization of all documentation in Bahrain to speed its service. Apart from both 20 and 40 foot containers, the celled container ships converted by Hitachi Zosen will also offer "flat racks", open to containers" and "artificial tween-Open top 40 . roofless containers can take

awkwardly shaped individual pieces of equipment like cranes. Artificial tweendecks these, Clausen claims, will be the first in Jeddah - are like falsecontainer floors which can be adjoined to cater for large, heavy, non containerizable equipment like earthmovers or helicopters. Similarily the 20' flat racks are side-less container frames for awkward

Maerskline, which ships from the Far East to the Gulf with the standing Jappercon conference agreement, will takes its new line back to North America via the Mediterranean where it bopes to pick up additional

#### commen:

By Misfer Gharmallah Al-Ghamed Al Jazirah

From time to time, intensive traffic campaigns are launched in the country to eliminate the causes of incidents which bave assumed abnormal proportions. The traffic officials find themselves forced to be somewhat strict with offenders and reckless drivers.

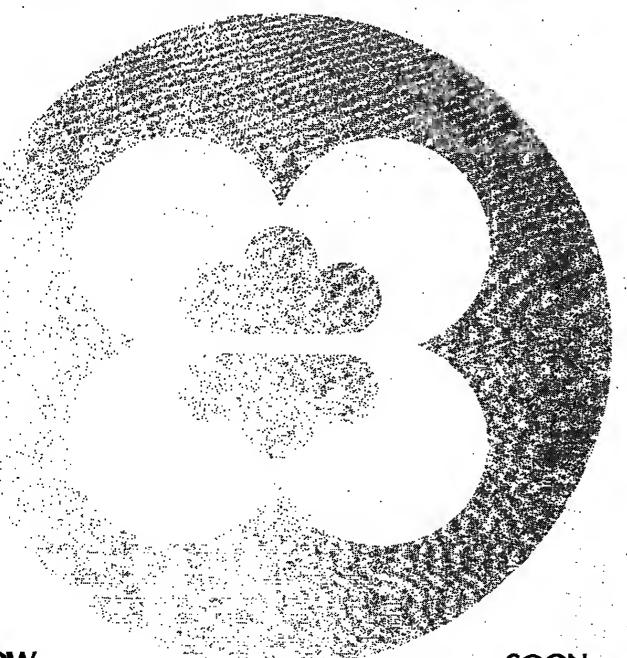
These campaigns are not confined to checking cars and driving documents, but also include a check on disturbing horns. rear and side screens, flashlights, articles of decoration and silly verses written on the cars. The drivers, bowever, wonder why these are sold in the market if their use is forbidden, and why the traffic department does not coordinate with the Ministry of Commerce in banning the import of such articles. The entire process. right from the import of such articles to their destruction by the traffic officials. seems to be designed to benefit the traders in such items, they think.

I also bold a similar view and ask why the import of such articles is not banned. If a ban were applied, it would save much of the officials' time as they would not have to chase the drivers sporting such articles in their cars. I would suggest that the traffic authorities confiscate these artides in commercial establishments or apply sanctions against those who import them.

The owner of a car pays a lot of money for such articles, and when he apprehended by the police he loses them all in one instalment. Besides, be makes birnself liable to a prison term. as a pub ishment for the offense...-

I am only making a proposal, but would like to see it considered by the authorities concerned, so that a procedure can be formulated to penalize the violater.

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# Sadat offers Europe military facilities

CAIRO, Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Egyptian President Anwar Sadat Saturday offered Europe the same military facilities he has offered the United States in the Gulf area, British politician David Steel said.

Sada's offer was made during his meeting with Steel, leader of the British Liberal Party, in Cairo. Steel arrived here at the end of a fact-finding tour of the Mideast.

"This is because Europe would suffer more than America if there were any disruptions of oil supplies," Steel quoted Sadat as saying. Egypt agreed two months ago to let the United States rebuild and use a naval and air

# Tel Aviv explosion kills two

DAMASCUS. Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Palestinian commandos claimed responsibity for a Tel Aviv explosion Sunday in which two persons were reported killed and seven wounded.

A spokesman said a commando unit planted a bomb in a suburban post office.

The spokesman said the unit was named the bullets a fateble leader who died in

The spokesman said the unit was named after Abu Hassan, a Fatch leader who died in a car explosion in Beirut in January, 1979, with four aides.

He added that the Tel Aviv blast killed and

wounded many Israelis and wrecked the office.

The unit returned safely to base, the spokesman said.

In Tel Aviv, police said the bomb exploded in a post office near Tel Aviv, killing two persons and wounding seven others. Correcting an earlier announcement.

Correcting an earlier announcement; police said hospital officials had erred in reporting three dead, and the third victim was seriously wounded.

Israeli, police, suspecting that commandos were responsible for the blast closed off the area and detained a number of suspects, the army radio reported.

A police inspector at the scene said the charge was hidden in a booby-trapped package, but was unsure whether the bomb was planted in the building or bad been sent through the mail.

base on the Red Sea called Ras Banas.
Sadat has said repeatedly that no foreign
power would be allowed to maintain military
"bases" in Egypt. He said the facilities given
the United States are temporary

Steel told reporters that Sadat was anxious to see Europe help to fill the vacuum that will exist until November 1981, since Sadat did not expect to see major movements in the Egyptian-Israeli peace talks before the American and Israeli elections are over.

Steel added that Sadat told him that he received about "10 days ago a message from (Israeli Prime Minister Menahem) Begin proposing that they try to reach agreement on the function of Gaza only "

the future of Gaza only."

Sadat rejected the affer because "while he is quite happy that any agreement should be implemented in Gaza first, it cannot be done without an overall agreement on the future of Gaza and the West Bank." Steel said

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Steel said, "We in the European democracies must place the Middle East higher up the agenda in our own political thinking."

"It is very important that we lend our weighing part in the efforts to secure a Middle East peace settlement and don't just leave it to the people on the spot," he said.

Steel and his group have visited Syria, Israel, Lehanon, Jordan and Egypt. The Brisith Liberals are scheduled to leave Egypt Wednesday.

Meanwhile, Egyptian Foreign Minister

Meanwhile, Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali said Saturday night that talks between the United States, Egypt and Israel on Palestinian autonomy would be resumed at heads of delegation level in Washington Oct. 14.

Ali, who arrived here from Washington after two weeks of talks told reporters that problems obstructing agreement remained unchanged and that Israel had made no efforts toward removing them.

In another development, Shimon Peres, leader of the Israeli Labor Party, warned Arabs Saturday they should give up their cause in establishing an independent Palestinian state or else face a fifth Mideast war.

In an article published simultaneously in the influential October magazine here and in two Israeli newspapers, Al Hamishmar and the Jerusalem Post, Peres said the Palestinian question should be settled within a Jordanian-Palestinian framework instead.

## Israel said training Haddad's militias for terrorist attacks

DAMASCUS, Oct. 5 (AP) — Syria's government-controlled newspaper Teshrin accused Israel Sunday of recruiting rightist Christian militiamen from South Lebanon to train them for terrorist attacks in the rest of the Arab world.

The paper said the first batch of 40 "Israeli-trained terrorists" have been sent back to the "free Lebanon" border enclave after finishing their course in a training center identified as Chadira in Israel.

"Free Lebanon" is controlled by renegade Lebanese army Maj. Saad Haddad whose militia has been armed, fed and clothed by Israel to drive Palestinian commandos off its northern flank.

Teshrin said the trainees would be dispatched to carry out "sabotage acts and political assassinations in the Arab world ... and assist reactionary regimes to implement imperialist and Zionist schemes."

The paper said this was the first time that Israel was training Haddad's militiamen for "terrorist assignment" in the Arab world.

Haddad has said he cooperates with Israel to "rid Lebanon of Palestinian and Syrian presence." He was labeled a traitor by the Lebanese government of President Elias Sarkis,

The Syrians have a 22,000-man army in Lebanon policing a 46-month-old civil war armistice.

### Israel, U.S. to continue oil talks

TEL AVIV. Oct. 5 (R) — Israeli Energy Minister Yitzhak Modai left for Washington Sunday to continue talks with American officials on an agreement which would assure Israel oil supplies in an emergency.

The United States agreed to provide Israel with necessary fuel in an emergency, when Israel agreed to relinquish the Sinai oil fields it had developed, and handed back to Egypt.

Since then Israel and the U.S. have differed over the interpretation of the word emergency. Israel has claimed that the steep rise in oil prices in the world market constitutes such a situation.

The talks, which have been going on intermittently both here and in Washington, have so far been inconclusive.

### 1,800 killed in 9 months in Lebanon

BEIRUT, Oct. 5 (AP) — Police estimate 1,800 people have been killed and 2,000 injured in inter-communal strife and violence in Lebanon during the past nine months, a

Lebanese newspaper said Sunday.

The French-language daily, L'Orient le Jour, said its casualty count was based on

police records. The paper also estimated \$0,000 people were killed and 200,000

wounded in the 1975-76 Civil war.
The Associated Press estimate for the first nine months of 1980, based on a variety of sources including police, is 1,461 killed compared to 90 violent deaths in all of 1979.

#### RRIFFS

RABAT, (R)— In a three-nour clash in south Morocco Friday Moroccan forces killed 150 Polisario guerrillas and destroyed over 40 of their vehicles while Moroccan losses were two dead and eleven wounded, an official source said here Saturday.

BEIRUT. (AP) — Omar Sharif, the Egyptian-born actor who has been blacklisted by Arab states for appearing in a film made in Israel, says Arabs should not travel to the Jewish state until the Palestinian problem is solved. In an interview with Beirut's English-language weekly Monday Morning, Sharif said he had been blacklisted for playing a minor role in the movie Ashanti, pro-

duced hy Georges Alain Vuille.

TUNIS, (AFP) — Jordanian special envoy Hassan Ibrahim arrived here Sunday with a message for President Habib Bourguiba from King Hussein. Ibrahim, minister for occupied territories, said the message concerned "development of the situation in the Arab region."

CAIRO, (R) — Egyptian security police have arrested Muhammad Abdul Salam Zayyat, a former deputy prime minister and prominent member of the egyptian opposition movement, a statement from the left-wing Unionist Progressive Party (UPP) said Saturday.





TALKS: Pakistani President Muhammad Zia ul-Haq (left) talks with French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing at Etysee Palace last week. The two leaders talked about a peaceful end to the Iraqi-Iranian war.

## Released from solitary confinement Asghar Khan under house arrest

ABBOTTABAD, Pakistan, Oct. 5 (AP)

— Asghar Khan, a leading opposition figure, was released from solitary confinement and placed under house arrest here Friday, the day Pakistani President Muhammad Zia ul-Haq met U.S. President Carter in

Washington, Khan's wife reported Saturday.

It was not immediately clear whether there was any connection between the improvement in the political better treatment and the Zia-Carter talks.

Khan, a retired air force chief who heads the moderate Tehrik-i-Istaqlal Party, was arrested in October 1979 and detained six months after criticizing the cancellation of scheduled elections by Zia.

On June 29, he was placed under solitary confinement at a government guest hnuse at Dada, northwest Pakistan, for allegedly violating a ban on political activities. Khan had made several speeches hefore lawyers' groups in which he called for a return to civilian rule.

About a dozen Tehrik Party officials are still in detention. They include former deputy home secretary Asif Vardaq and Khud-i-Nor, chief of the party's Baluchistan provincial branch, Mrs. Khan said.

# Israel blames French cabinet for bomb attacks on Jews

TEL AVIV. Oct. 5 (Agencies) — Israel has blamed the government of French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing for the bomb attack on a Paris synagogue in which four persons, including an Israeli citizen died.

Although no official government state-

Although no official government statement on the bombing was issued, Israel radio quoted Prime Minister Menahem Begin as saying that the French government was indirectly responsible for the wave of attacks on Jews in France.

"Paris' policy is against the Jewish state and so the government influences Frenchmen to be anti-Semitic and almost Nazis," Begin was quoted as saying Saturday night. According to a television report, Begin's cabinet will discuss the Paris attack at its weekly meeting Sunday and will issue a communique "condemning the French government's anti-Israel and anti-Zionist policies" as being responsible for the attacks on France's Jewish community.

Roni Milo, chairman of a parliamentary

committee on immigrant absorption, called for a special session of Israel's Knesset to debate the anti-Semitie attacks in France. Deputy Minister Yoram Adridor told Reuters: "It is not surprising that this should

Deputy Minister Yoram Adridor told Reuters: "It is not surprising that this should have happened in France which is presently setting up an atomic reactor in Iraq which could be used to build atomic bombs for use against the Jews of Israel."

# Top U.S. military official in Israel after Egypt visit

TEL AVIV, Oct. 5 (AP) — Gen. David C. Jones, chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff, arrived from Egypt Sunday for a one-day visit that includes a meeting with Prime Minister Menahem Begin.

Jones received a red-carpet welcome and full military honors upon his arrival at Ben-Gurion Airport, but neither he nor his Israeli counterpart, Lt. Gen. Raphael Eytan, made a statement.

Israeli officials say Jones' visit and that last week of U.S. Deputy Secretary of Defense Robert Komer mark a resumption of a strategic dialogue between Israel and the United States. Israel had feared that its interests were being submerged as Washington forged closer military relations with Egypt.

Jones also was in Saudi Arabia on his Mideast tour.

In Cairo, the official Middle East News

Agency said Jones met with Egyptian Vice President Hosni Mubarak and Minister of Defense Gen. Ahmad Badawi "within the framework of reaffirming military cooperation between the two nations."

The agency did not disclose what topics Jones and Egyptian officials discussed.

Egypt bas already received 35 F4E jet fighters (Phantoms) from the United States, part of a \$3.5 hillion package which also

includes 40 F-16 jets and 244 M-60 tanks.

On Friday the Egyptian and American air forces ended three months of training on the Phantoms. It was the first time the U.S. Air Force had flown in Egypt since World War II.

Egypt has repeatedly offered the United States the temporary use of military facilities to come to the aid of any Arab country on the Gulf threatened by foreign intervention.



Take division titles

## Yanks, Phillies clinch

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (Agencies) - Yankee coach Yogi Berra has seen a lot of New York wins, hut this one was particularly sweet, he said Sturday.

The Yanks clinched the division title Saturday with their 5-2 win over the Detrnit Tigers. And in the National League. Philadelphia went 11 innings to grab their division crown in a 6-4 victory over Montreal.

With Kansas City holding the American League West crown, basehall fans nnw are eyeing the hattle in Los Angeles bet

Houston Astros and the Dodgers, clawing for the National League West title.

The Dodgers nipped the Astros 2-1 Saturday, but first-place Houston is assured of at least a ne for the division championship, with the Dodgers trying to hang in.

Berra, standout catcher for the New York club in its heyday under manger Casey Stengall, praised the team for the way it came together and stood off the challenge by the Baltimore Orioles, who wound up in second.

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## Vilas faces Clerc in Madrid final after Lendl goes out

MADRID. Oct. 5 (AP) -- Guillermo Vilas of Argentina and his countryman, Jose Luis Clerc, will meet Sunday in the singles final of the \$125,000 International Madrid Tennis Tournament after winning their semifinal

matches here Saturday. No. 1 seed Vilas defeated unseeded Hams Gildemeister of Chile 7-5, 3-6, 6-1, while third-seeded Clerc beat second-seeded Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovia 1-6, 6-0, 6-3.

In Bloomington, fourth-seeded Dianne Fromhultz became the first player to qualify for the finals in the U.S. Wnmen's Indoor Tennis Championships Saturday night with a 7-6. 6-3 victory over No. 2 seeded Billie Jean King.

Fromhnitz will play the winner of a late match between Tracy Austin and Wendy Turnhull.

Fromhnltz will be making her second appearance in a championship match in two years. Last year she was defeated by Evonne Goolagong after defeating King in the semifinals at Met Center.

For this trip, however, she can thank King, whose errors made for her losing. In each



J.L. Clerc service break and in the first set tiebreaker,

King was unable to get the ball in the court. After breaking Fromholtz's first serve of the match, King accounted for seven of the eight next points against her.



## Giacomelli claims first pole place

NEW YORK, Oct. 5 (AP) - Surprising Brine Giacomelli of Italy bettered his own first-day qualifying time Saturday and nailed down the pole position for the U.S. Grand

The 28-year-old Alfa Romeo driver turned in a fast lap of 130.315 mph (209.7159kmh) over the twisting 3.377-mile

(5.434 km) Warkins Glen circuit. That was nearly 2 mph (3.2 km) faster than Giacomelli's 128.578 (206.920 km) that topped Friday's qualifying session and put him on the provisional pole.

Brazilian Nelson Piquet wound up second on the 24-car grid for Sunday's race, piloting his Brabham through a 129,222 miles (207.956 km) lap during Saturday's hour-

long session.
Third in a Williams was Carlos Reutemann of Argentina at 129,179 (207,887 km), followed by Elio De Angelis of Italy in a Lotus at (129.078 km), followed and Alan Jones of Austria, who already has clinched the Formula One World Championship, at 129,035 (207.656 km) in the other Williams.

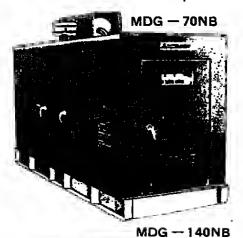
It was Giacomelli's first pole and the first time that Alfa Romeo has had a car on the front row this year.

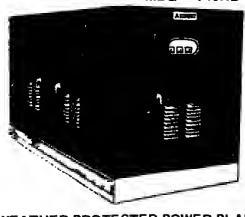
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#### After magnificent putting

## Langer moves three ahead of Barnes

WALES. Oct 5 (Agencies) — Another incredible display of putting enable the talented German Bernhard Langer to stretch his lead to three strokes after round three of the £60,000 Dunlop Masters Golf Tournament here Saturday.

Under tremendous pressure from Brian Barnes and Nick Job, 23-year-old Langer again used his second hand putter to magnificent effect in carding a four birdie round of

It left him 11-under on 202 and three strokes ahead of Barnes (698) with Joh (also 68) a further shot behind Langer has now played the last 41 holes without dropping a shot largely because he has now found the

This is an incredible story of success for the son of a Muncih bricklayer who, during his eight years as a professional, has usually taken an average of 36 or more putts in a

He began this week by using his putter just

29 times in round one: In his second effort he required a mere 25 putts and today he

expended the meager ration of 26. Barnes, two strokes behind at the start. collected birdies in the first four holes to move ahead of Langer. But he slipped up when going two over on the seventh and the remaining holes yielded must one more bir-

Job, fourth in the Benson and Hedges Tournament, also put the German under

attack by going out in 33. But Langer sank eight single putts and needed none at all at the fifth when a recovery flew over the green and he then chipped into the hole from 30 yards.

In Columbus, American Mike Sullivan shot a 69 Saturday for a total of 200, 10under-par, to boost his lead to five strokes after the third round of the \$200,000 Southern Open golf tournament. The 25-year-old Sullivan held a two-stroke lead after the second round

hole. Sullivan played par golf the rest of the way and watched as his contenders faltered over the hilly, par-70, 6791-yard Green Island Country Club course.

Johnny Miller, who put together a string of five birdies for a 65, surged into a three-way tie for second place with two-time winner bere Jerry Pate and Jim Thorpe. Each was at 205. Pate and Thorpe had 67s. Hale Irwin was alone at 206 after a 68.

George Burns, who started the day only two shots off Sullivan's pace, ran into trouble on the back nine and bogeyed four holes to fall seven shots off the pace with a 74 and 207

total. Arnold Paimer was also at 208 after a scrambling round of 73 which included a

double-bogey, five bogeys and four birdies. Palmer, who shot a 66 to gain the first round lead, nearly pushed himself out of con-tention when the 51-year-old shot doublebogey, bogey on the 10th and 11th holes.

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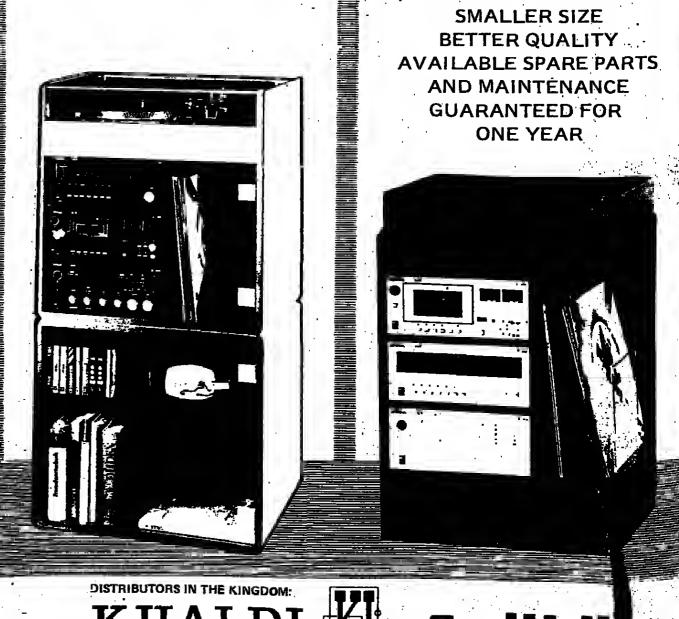
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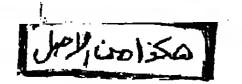
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#### lpswich comes back to draw

## nith's late heroics save Brighton

LONDON, Oct. 5 (AP) - Gordon Smith pored three goals in the last 30 minutes iturday to give Brighton a 3-3 draw against oventry after his team had trailed 0-3. Smith's rescue act was the most fantastic erformance of the day in the English Soccer

lpswich came back from a goal down to we its unbeaten record in a home draw rainst Leeds and retained a clear lead in the ampionship race with 16 points from nine

Liverpool, Everton and Aston Villa all on and moved up to three points hehind swich, the three teams sharing second

Liverpool bammered Manchester City 3-0 Manchester. Everton came from behind ith two penalties to win 2-1 against Southupton, who lost England star Kevin Keegan ith an ankle injury. Aston Villa pounded underland 4-0.

Nottingham Forest, European Cup champis for the last two years, crowned a miserble week hylosing its unbeaten home record the league, 1-2 to Manchester United, Last /ednesday Forest was knocked out of the

uropean Cup by Cska Sofia. Gordon's Smith goalscoring feat was atched by only 11,462 fans Coventry's nallest home crowd in the club's 12 years in ie First Division. It was another reminder of te serious slump that bas hit English soccer. Coventry appeared sitting pretty with goals y Paul Dyson (25), Gary Thomson (45) and ommy Hutchinson (64). In the 68th minute mith pulled one hack.

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With seven minutes left Coventry still led 3-1, but then Smith scored two more in quick

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Argentinan star, scored his first goal for Leeds in the 48th minute and threatened to destroy Ipswich's unbeaten record. John Wark saved the day for the league leaders with a magnificient diving header in the 70th

minute. (Attendance, 24,087). Manchester City 0 Liverpool 3, Liverpool, reigning English League champions, won away for the first tie this season. Kenny Dalglish started it hy side stepping Tommy Caton and driving home a fine rising shot in the 38th minute. Graeme Souness headed in Terry

Soccer Results

McDermott's cross (53) and Sammy Lee made it 3-0 (83). Manchester City remained the only First Division team without a win. (4,022).

Everton 2 Southampton 1. Mike Channon gave Southampton a flying start with a headed goal in the sixth minute. Then Keegan went down after tackle by Billy Wright and limped off with damaged ankle ligaments. Joe McBride won the game for Everton with two penalties - in the 32nd minute after Gary Megson had been fouled, and seven minutes from time when Graham

Baker handled. (36,544). Nottingham Forest 1 Manchester United 2. Forest appeared to bave shaken off its European Cup troubles when Ian Wallace headed in Frank Gray's cross in the 32nd minute. Lou Macari grabbed an equalizer two minutes before half-time, and Manchester always looked likely to win after that. Steve Coppell, unmarked, headed a simple goal to clinch it two minutes from the end.

Aston Villa 4 Sunderland 0. Allan Evans scored twice and helped to wreck Sunderland's unbeaten away record. The first was on the stroke of half-time. Tony Morley (59) and Gary Shaw (76) added to Villa's lead and Evans headed his second six minutes from the end. Shaw's goal was his seventh of the season. (26,914).

Arsenal! Leicester 0: Five minutes from half-time the hall bohbed about in theLeicester penalty box following a corner and Frank Stapleton stabbed it home. It as enough to give Arsenal its fourth win in five bome games. (28,490).

Crystal Palace 0 West Bromwich 1: Palace, struggling at the hottom of the standings, appeared heading for a draw when Crille Regis scored the winner two minutes from time. (16,081).

Wolverhampton I Birmingham 0: John Richards headed the vital goal four minutes before balf-time and brightened life for Wolves, who had suffered four defeats in a

row. (22,777). Middlesbrough 6 Norwich 1: Norwich boldly set out to play an attacking game and left only three Men in the defense line — and paid the price. Tony McAndrew and Bosko Jankovic scored for Middlesbourgh in the first half, and Dave Armstrong, Dave Hodgsonn Craig Johnston and Jankovic in the second, But Hodgson's shot was deflected, and Jankovic got his first after goalkeeper Roger Hansbury had dropped the ball at his feet. Justin Fashanu scored for Norwich. (12,837).

Stoke 2 Tottenham 3: Peter Taylor with a penalty and Steve Archibald scored first half goals and had the gamewrapped up for spurs by balf-time. Chris Hughton scored the third and Bill Hampton and Bren gogcallaghan replied for Stoke. The penalty followed a foul on Garth Crooks, former Stoke bero who bas been in fine form for Tottenham. (14,000).

Crystal Palace, the bottom team, has only two points from nine games. Above Palace is Menchester City with four points, Leeds and Norwich with five, and Leicester with six.

West Ham, last season's English Cup winners, lay third with 13 points after a goalless draw at Newcastle.

## Bayern pressed, pulls out win

BONN, Oct. 5 (R) — League champions Bayern Munich made heavy weather of reaching the third round of the West German soccer cup against Second Division opposition Saturday and First Division Bayer Leverkusen and 1860 Munich were knocked

Bayern struggled to an unconvincing 4-2 victory over SVW Mannheim thanks to two goals from Footballer of the Year Karl-Heinz Rummeninge after being 2-1 down midway through the second half.

Second Division Onfenbach Kickers swamped Leverkusen 5-2 at home Friday night and 1860 Munich bowed out 3-1 to fellow Bundesliga team Borussia Dortmund

Last year's beaten finalists, FC Cologne could only draw at home to Second Division SC Freiburg 1-1 and faces a difficult replay, as do Firsi Division Karlsruher SC which was held 1-1 at home by Second Division Allemania Aachen,

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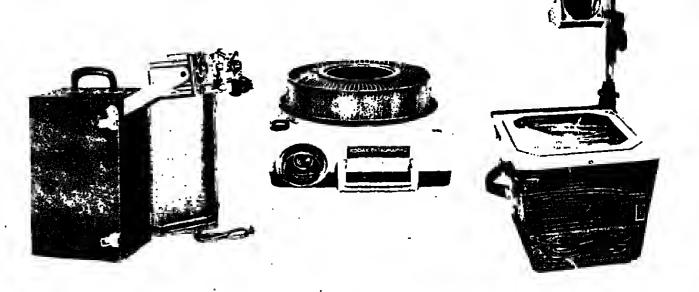
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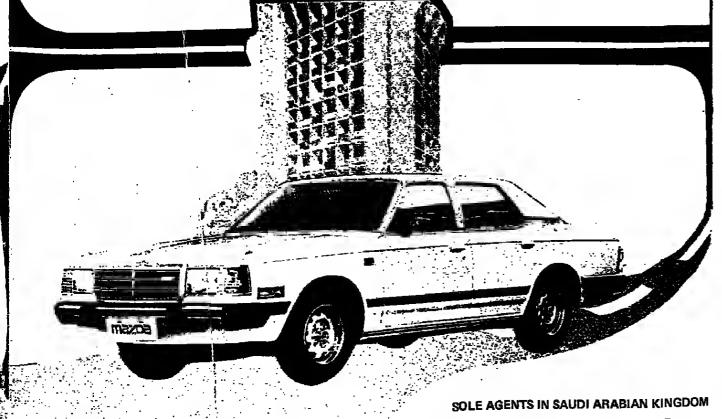
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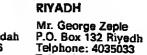


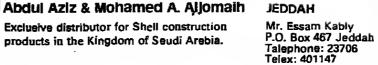
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The Ruler of Kuwait has approved a law empowering him to order compulsory conscription for military service of all male citizens aged 18 to 50. This move is long overdue not only for Kuwait, but for the rest of the states of the Arabian Peninsula considering the threats to and designs on their wealth and resources faced over the last few years through no fault of their own. They are even being "over protected," allegedly for their own sake.

The Kuwaiti law will probably be or should be emulated elsewhere in the region, now in the throes of a major war between two of its biggest states, Iraq and Iran. Apart from the war the Arab states of the region have small annies, although some of them exceedingly well equipped. But depending on voluntary conscription in under-populated countries like these, has not been very satisfactory. The need for manpower to enhance the capabilities of the armed forces has always been in foremost in the thinking of malitary planners.

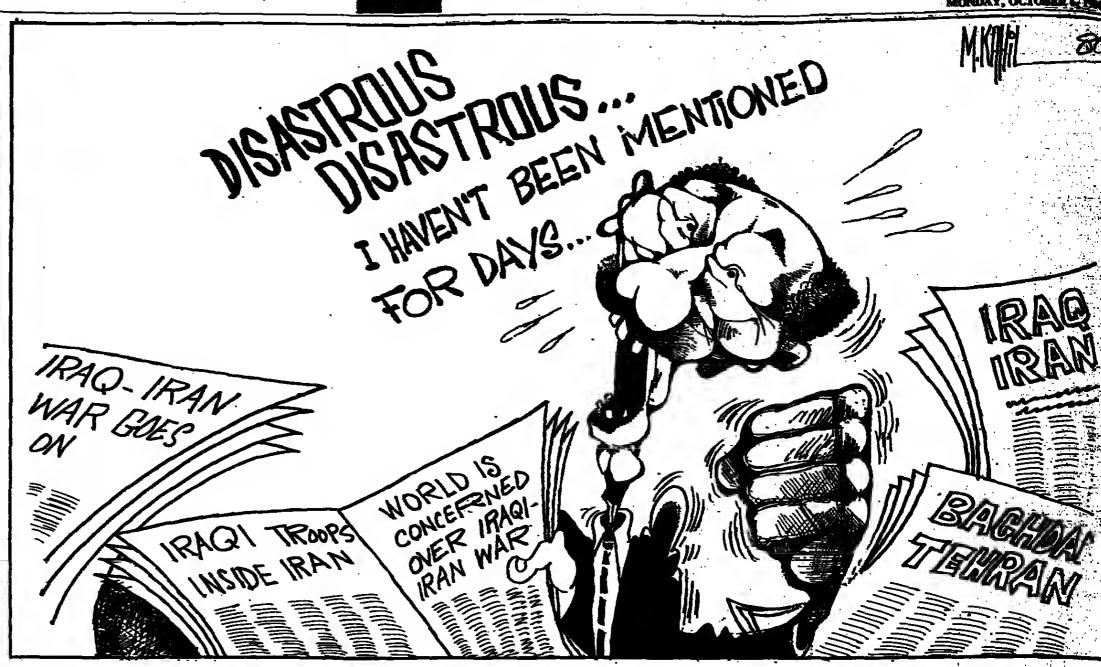
Already a number of states in the region are studying similar moves which are calculated to provide a trained manpower reservoir. The handicap caused by small populations in states conveted by others may be considerably eased through compulsory conscription. Israel has almost everybody, males and females, under arms. During war time the armed forces can call hundreds of thousands of reservists to take up arms. When the war ends, they go back to their factories, farms and shops.

The importance of the Kuwaiti law and similar ones to be promulgated in other Arab states lies also in the creation of a militarily. trained generation of Arabs, many of whom have little or no idea about the wast complexity of modern weaponry which keeps getting

more sophisticated and phenomenally more expensive every year.

Such training will provide military leaders and planners with an increased manpower supply and the trainees themselves with useful knowledge and physical fitness exercises many of them have long abandoned or never really cared for. At the same time, modern military science training will enrich the hundreds of thousands of draftees and create a class of skilled people whom the region needs so badly at present and will need even more in the years to come.

The Yemen Arab Republic has been implementing such a scheme for two years with considerable success, although it had no serious problems with recruitment given a population estimated to be over eight million. There as well, most ablebodied metralready know how to use small arms and carry them on themselves as a matter of personal pride. The authorities there report excellent results and , we hope, the same will be the case elsewhere in the region.



## Carter stirs up race hate

By Anthony Holden

WASHINGTON -The scene: Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta, Georgia, spiritual home of Dr Martin Luther King. The time: A Tuesday marriag last mouth The audience; an all-black congregation of the Carter faithful. In the pulpit: the president of the United States, who chooses this moment to accuse his Republican opponent, Ronald Reagan, of practicing the politics of "racism" and "hatred".

He goes on to say that, if he is re-elected, the promised land will . soon be in sight, Exit, to cries of "Hallelujah".

Jimmy Carter's current impersonation of an American president seems on par, from what we have heard over bere, with Peter O'Toole's macbeth. Rarely has so great a role been so demeaned. Now the knives are out, and the ketchip is about to

If Carter ultimately contrives to win re-election, I' fear he will have play'd most fouly for't. Not content with refusing to debate the issues, he is waging a propaganda campaign against Reagan even less seemly than that waged against Goldwater in 1964. what Reagan's running-mate, George Bush, has called "knee-in-the-groin" politics.

It is traditionally the vice-presidential candidates who trade mutual abuse, while their senior partners trade views on the matters of the day. Not so this year. The president is none too keen to discuss the matters of the day, most of which tell against him. So he has commissioned a script which merely vilities his opponent.

You can call Reagan a lot of names, but scarcely a racist. Carter's specific charge was that the then out-of-work actor "opposed the 1964 Civil Rights Act." This was true, as Reagan himself conceded. He went on to say that many Republicans opposed the form of the bill at the time - also true - but that he himself has long since declared it satisfactory in practice. Reagan, as Carter hoped, spent all the day on the defensive.

History also relates, however, that then Georgia State Senator Jimmy Carter made no public speeches or statements in favor of the 1964 Civil Rights Act. His press secretary, Jody Powell, confurned this recently without adding this necessary footnote. The act was, to put it mildly, unpopular around the South. It lost a lot of Democrats, includ-

ing State Senator Jimmy Carter, their seats. Carter also accused Reagan of using "racial code words." This unpleasant corner of the American political lexicon is perhaps best illustrated by a remark made in 1966 by that same Carter, running for the governorship of Georgia against a more liberal Democrat. Asked by white audiences where be stood civil rights Carter would say he was "just another Southern redneck." It was a clear enough signal (though the Republicans still won).

Now no one is accusing Carter of being a racist least of all Reagan, who chose not to dredge up any of the above. But nor, for some reason, is anyone unequivocally accusing Carter of making a political miscalculation, on remarkably similar lines to Reagan's Kn Khux Klan aberration. Presidential mud, it seems, sticks.

Reagan was in Corpus Christi, Texas, at the time, wooing the Hispanic vote. His startling suggestion that illegal immigrants should be given jobs, and allowed to stay "as long as they want," got lost in his rebuttal of Carter's charges. Which is perhaps just as well, as he later had to qualify it. "I said that work visas should have a stated termination date," he explained two days later. "You reporters failed to hear it. It was drowned by the applause."

By that time, Carter was giving his first nationally televised news conference since Aug. 4, (That one, which concerned brother Billy, lasted an hour at mid-evening prime time; this one ran a midafternoon half-hour.) Having opened with a list of how busy he'd been and how things were looking up for America, the president was then showered with questions about Reagan's alleged racism.

He denied, repeatedly, that he had ever called Reagan a racist. He said he did not believe Reagan as one of those present pointed out, was akin to the old gambic "The fact that my opponent is fooling around with his secretary should not be an issue in this campaign." As his mouth moved. Carter's face began to realize there was a point at which all this might become counter-productive.

So it was not a good week for the issues. As

Carter played Johnson to Reagan's Goldwater, and 20-year-old civil rights sore was irrelevantly reopened, the domestic comony, the oil price rise and sundry foreign policy differences went undis-

With one exception. When Reagan ventured to open his mouth about the Tehran hostages, suggesting with fine moderate tuning that the Ayatollah's conditions for their release be met. Carter told him to short it. "The last thing any political candidate should do," be said loftly, "including any incumbent president, is to get into negotiations with Iranian authorities through public statements, or through the news media."

The incumbent president then proceeded to make a public statement through the news media to the effect that Khomeini's latest remarks "may very well lead to a resolution of this problem." At precisely that moment, at another news conference, his secretary of state, Ed Muskie, was saying precisely the opposite: "It would be a mistake to raise expectations. Next day, the president blithely thought "Ed Muskie got it about right."

Even the normally cautions Washington Poet has lost its patience with Carter. "Jimmy Carter," its first leader declared recently "seems to have few limits beyond which he will not go in the abuse of opponents and reconstruction of history... There must be a better case for his re-election than the president is now making." - (OFNS)

## Zimbabwe press faces curbs

By Paul Eliman

SALISBURY -Zimbabwe's honeymoon with press freedom could soon be over, thanks to what furious officials regard as a campaign in right-wing British news-papers to portray only the negative side of the ive-month-old government beaded by Robert Mugabe.

Two weeks ago saw coverage of the country's affairs reach heights, or perhaps depths, worthy of Evelyn Waugh's satire on foreign correspondents,

Scoop".
While headlines in some London newspapers turned a rash of factional violence into the first battles of a civil war between Mugabe's followers and those supporting his partner in the coalition government, Joshua Nkomo, most correspondents spent their time basking in the toxpor of a Salisbury

Unaware, until urgent message from his editors apprised him of the situation, that civil strife was looming, the average British correspondent speut his day as usual: some went fishing on Lake Kariba, others argued about which restaurant had the freshest shipment of prawns from Mozambique.

There is, however, a serious side to all this. The London reports hit the shares of Zimbabwean comlaunched a campaign to encourage foreign invest-

An official close to Dr. Nathan Ship An official close to Dr. Nathan Shannyania, the minister of information, told me: "We are very angry that there are people who simil; they on abuse the freedom of the press, wind, we have restored to the country after many years of highsment and censorship

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Fury with the British press coincides will a row between the government and the Marie is paper, the country's only national diffy Billion Zvobgo, the minister of local government has warned the Harald to change its attitude or face a total ban or the resisposition of sense of the newspaper's shares are total to the newspaper's shares are to by the Argus group of South Africa, Zwoby that "The maner is owned by the enemy."

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Ministers have become increasingly record by the

Hereld front-page coverage of the murder chaps against Edgar Tekere, the minister of manp development and planning, and of alleged resulment among inhabitants of a Salisbury black township at the news that thousands of former greatiles are to be rehoused in their neighborhood.

Faced with almost daily clamor from the par-

framentary backbenches to stem the tide of a same. over the press may have to be established (00%)

## China's new marriage rules

LONDON ---

If the two most celebrated Chinese lovers were alive today, "medical scientists would be likely to persuade them kindly to call a halt to this love affair betwen two close relatives and teach them some knowledge of eugenics."

This dreary intelligence is solemnly transmitted in a Chinese report on Peking's new determination to cusure a higher quality population by the scientific choice of marriage partners.

In the draft marriage law presented for approval to the National People's Congress currently meeting in Peking, it is stipulated that relatives as close as

second cousins will henceforth be forbidden to marry. Such a law would have parted the lovers Bao-yu and Dui-yu in the eighteen century novel, The Dream of the Red Chamber.

Engenics — which discourages unions likely to result in chikiren with unfavorable hereditary. characteristics - has been under a cloud since Hitler's enthusiasm for breeding "superior" chil-

Some Chinese specialists say the resulting neglect of eugenics has led to an increase in hereditary and congenital disease, causing deformed babies and intellectual retardation.

According to the Chinese investigators; the increase in such births arises partly from improvements in living conditions, which mean that more people with defective genes reach child-bearing

Regulations already exist in China to encourage one-child families. Parents are warned that a secand child will receive no public support, while the birth of a third will result in financial, housing, and

even career penalties. The Chinese ideal of one-child families is expressed in terms which startle Western observers. The goal is now "that the one and only child born to" couple is wealthy and intelligent." Elsewhere the report asserts that the ideal child should be goodlooking as well.

Defective children and all the disabled alread bear a powerful stigma in China. Few public benefits exist for such citizens who, if they cannot work, become wholly dependent on their far The disabled are disqualified from becoming teachers because "they cannot set a good example."

Another obstracle to the Clamese dream of a perfect population is the custom of cousin married especially among minority nationalities. In fir western Gansu province, for example, investigated of the Academy of Sciences have found higher rates of congenital deformity and intellectual retardator

among these groups. The Chinese recognize that the social impact of the new marriage regulations is likely to be consilerable. The new draft law therefore contains sup-plementary articles which take into account "the actual conditions prevailing among the minority nationalities." (OFNS)

## Saudi Arabian Press Review

Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal's address to the U.N. General Assembly figured prominently on the Kingdom's front pages Sunday. The prince declared that the threat posed by Israel can only be faced by a call for holy war. They also highlighted Saudi Arabia's objection to Israeli participation in the U.N: deliberation. In a lead story, Okaz reported that King Khaled will lay the foundation stone of a university town in Riyadh in November. In a banner-headline, story, Al Jazirah reported that Iraq had thrust more men and arms into the war, had taken 500 Iranians captive and has des-

troved 350 Iranian tanks. Newspapers frontpaged Saudi Arabia's decision to increase its oil production to bolster markets crimped by the Iraqi-Iranian war. In a front-page story, Okaz reported that Israel is gooding Iran to strike the nuclear center in Iraq. Al Janirah played on page one a story on a Sandi Arabian official's denial that an Egyptian military mission had visited the Kingdom. The report was originally published in a Lebanese magazine, Al Kifah Al

Newspaper editorials concentrated on Prince Saud's U.N. speech highlighting his emphasis on the call for the holy war. They also discussed the Iraqi-Iranian war and hoped that Iran would also accept Islamic mediation and agree to a ceasefire. Al Medina said editorially that the foreign minister has defined the Kingdom's firm Islamic policies, which call for a stop to the bloodshed between . the two Islamic neighbors. Since the Kingdom is eager to

see an end to the armed conflict, it has welcomed Iraq's favorable response to a call for ceasefire and hopes Iran would also do the same, the paper said. It added that in accord with the Islamic spirit, the two countries should sit and talk out their differences in a brotherly way.

Al Nadwa said that the foreign minister explained the Kingdom's policies both in economic and political fields and objected to Israel's participation in the U.N. deliberations. The paper said it is the firm view of Saudi Arabia that the continued presence of the Israeli delegate at the world body is unacceptable and, therefore, measures ought to be taken to ostracise him. Touching on Prince Saud's reference to the Iraqi-Iranian war and the world economic order, the paper said Saudi Arabia has decided to increase its oil output to compensate for the shortage resulting from the Iraqi-Iranian conflict.

On the same subject, Al Riyath focused on Prince Saud's call to consolidate the U.N. role in stabilizing peace and eliminating the causes of war in the world. Referring to the foreign minister's emphasis on world economy, the paper said this is not the first time Saudi Arabia has shown concern for the world. It has always raised its sincere voice to assist the industrial world in particular, and to climinate unemployment, inflation and stagnation, he said.

Okaz also concentrated on the same subject, saying it is only natural for the Kingdom to take a defensive stance on Arab and Islamic rights with a full sense of responsibility for the "sublime interests of the Arab and Islamic nation." Prince Saud's emphasis on the call for holy war was necessitated by unceasing challenges presented by the Zionists, said the paper. It added that the situation made it essential for the international community to recognize peace overtures by the Arabs and to keep the region free of international conflicts. In the light of what the foreign minister has said, the U.N. should reconsider its dealings with the forces which aim at disrupting world security for the attainment of their own objectives, the paper said.

Al Bilad noted that the call for holy war was made in consonance with the Kingdom's role in modern history, to bring the world face to face with the Zionist's "noly challenges. The Kingdom's call for holy war reflects its serious concern for the legitimate rights of the Palestimans and the restoration of sacred places of both Muslims and Christians, the paper said.

Al Jacirch discussed Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky's current visit to Jordan and expressed the hope that the Austrian leader would play a leading role in explaining to Europe the situation in the Middle East. Kreisky was recently briefed by King Hussein of Jordan. The paper, referring to the upcoming summit conference of the European Economic Community (EEC), expressed the hope the body would take steps toward including the PLO as legitimate representative of the people of Palestine in any international effort for peace



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## Players to perform comedy

IEDDAH - The cartain rises at the Players' playhouse 8 p.m. Monday night for the Jeddah Players production of John Patricks
comedy The Curious Savage, opening the fall
sesson of the city's community theater.

The play, set in a private sanatarium in Massachusetts, is the tender, humorous story of a certain Mrs. Savage. In order to save the amily fortune she has been spending irresponsibly, and Mrs. Savage's three children have decided to place her in the respected care of "The Cloisters."

The plot evolves in a symmetrical network of surprises interweaved with an unfolding revelation of the characters.

A fine balance is drawn between the gentle inmates of the cloisters contended in their egg-shell world and the self-centered greedy brood of Echel Savage. Mrs. Savage is the vehicle through which much insight of the playwrights intention is gained. "The whole point of the Play," John Patrick said, is to contrast (the inmates) with Mrs. Savage's children and the insane world outside."

A prolific dramatist with an art for exposing the follies and weaknesses of mankind. Patrick is the author of some 25 published plays, including Tenhouse of the August Moon. He gained noforiety in the 50's with such great screen plays as Three Coins in the Foun ten and A Many Splendoured Thing.

The Curious Savage is one of Patrick's lesser known works and was first produced on the New York Stage in 1950. The Jeddah players version of this bitter-sweet comedy has been updated. It also has undergone some slight re-writing in order to give a rational for the mixture of British and American accents so prevalent in Jeddah Comunity Taeater.

The group of dedicated thespians has been working six weeks in preparation for the production which runs for four nights. During rehearsals Arab News had the opportunity to speak with several of the cast about their theater experience and views on Patrick's work. One of the stronger talents among the troupe is Bill Carper, cast in the role of Senator Titus Savage. Carper, whose youthfolness and boisterous manner belie his forty years, has been part of the Jeddah theater scene for the last three years. A graphic artist, he first became involved with the Jeddah Players by doing artwork for posters and programs. But he soon found himself involved in on-stage activity. Many might

remember him as the grand wizard with the purple socks in Once upon a Mattress, the musical commedy presented by the Players

Hailing from California, Carper is one man who enjoys entertaining people on stage and' off. But apart from his 'pariour-room antics' there is a serious side to Bill's nature. Carper remarked On The Carious Savage that the play is multilevel. It can be taken as just a conhedy, in which respect it is delightfully



REHEARSAL: A scene from "The Curious Savage? during dress rehearsal earlier in the

entertaining. But it can also be regarded in a deeper sense as a means for understanding human relationship.

This is the actor's second John Patrick play. In community theater in Los Angeles, he was the male lead in Everybody 's Girl. Carper said that there were similar under currents in that comedy. "Patrick gives you a glimpse into the darker side of human nature. In the Curious Savage the playwright is commenting on how people in their selfishness and self

ceoteredness can destroy each other," Carper's insight is an obvious extension of the role he plays as Titus. The epitome of the greedy ego-centric who is only involved in his

character of Titus is very much akin with the entire Savage dan.

On the other side of the fence, or in this case, the confines "The Cloistics," are the inmates. Taking one of the major roles, the part of Hannibal — a thirty-year-old statistician who gave up on life in the outside world when he was replaced by a computer - is new comer Ronald Dougharty. Jeddah players are indeed fortunate to have him aboard. A native Virginian, working as an administative assistant to the legal adviser on the New Jeddah Airport Project, Dougharty has a life time of theater experience.

He launched his stage career at the age of fourteen with the American Light Opera Company of Washington D.C. Five years and twenty productions later, Ron went to New York to study acting at the Third Avenue

He has since used his talents for both community and dinner theater in Washington. One of his personal prides was directing the first production of Godspell before it was discovered hy a professional company. Dougharty has also performed at the Keunedy Center with the Royal Ballet of England in the American premiere of the French ballet Manon which starred Rudalysh Nureyer.

Ron has been a great asset to the cast of The Curious Savage ' 'not just because of his personal ability, but also because of his cagerness to share his expertise. His genuine encouragement has been greatly appreciated

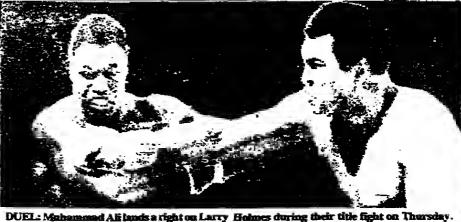
In commenting on the play Dongharty said, "I believe John Patrick is questioning the norms of society and the roles put on people. What is more important - to be successful or to be happy?

The Curious Savage is really comedy drama because of its tragic undertones.

He added, "There is a fine line between tragedy and comedy in life. The cast of The Curious Savage is varied enough to represent

Dougharty's words seem to echo the lines of that reputed English critic of the last century, Charles Lamk.

We do not go to (to the theater.) like our ancestors, to escape from the pressure of reality, so much as to confirm our experience of it," There may not be immediate laughter at The Carious Savage, but if the cast of this production succeds there will be "a curious and instantaneous teodency of the eyes to



## Holmes takes Ali's title but still seeks respect

By Richard Hoffer

LAS VEGAS. (LAT) — By beating Muhammad Ali in Thursday's fight, Larry Holmes proved his boxing skill It remains to be seen whether he will now get the respect he feels he deserves. A few weeks back, he swept through Los Angeles with Don King and a lot of people nobody recognized. It was the kind of promotional blitzkrieg you see when there are no dollar

guarantees from network TV. It was also the kind you see when Holmes is involved. Which is to say that King, the wild-eyed promoter-philosopher, did most of the taiking, holding forth non-stop, obscuring whatever real issues are at hand with his baroque delivery and

Hoimes sparred some, but to the people sum moned to Sylvester Stallone's Culver City gym it was sort of a sideshow in King's little circus. Some of the crowd — and it wasn't big to begin with surrounded King, who was conducting a mass interveiew in the stagiest of whispers. He was talking about Don King. A few others were sifting through a table of cold cuts and wondering where the cold beer had gotten to. Maybe a rela-

tive or two was taking snapshots at ringside. It was funny: all Holmes is is the World Boxing Council heavyweight champion.

A familiar tableau, though. Everywhere Holmes and Co. goes, it develops pretty much like this. This day was different only because it was the day Holmes blew up.

Holmes has been champion for two years, ever ince Ali resigned for a brief but high-caloric refirement. Holmes has fought everybody he should have and has knocked them all out. There have been lots worse champions, lots worse eitizens. Yet you would think he was some kind of club fighter, considering the leverage, recognition and respect he has.

This was all pretty bad, given the highprofile precedent of Ali. And it was not getting better. Nowadays, they were not even watching him

Suddenly he stopped and walked to the ropes: I think I deserve a little respect. I come and spar non-stop for you and you just eat my food and drink my beer." Some of the crowd, taken aback, drifted away from King, in apparent embarrassment others, self-conscious, hid sandwiches behind their backs.

Pacing back and forth in the ring, the sweat as much a product of his growing diatribe as his workout. Holmes continued: "Give a fellow his just and due respect. I shouldn't have to be here

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telling you who's the best heavyweight in the world today. You should realize it when you see it. Ali has fooled all you people for so long, for so many years, and you've got so addicted to his trickeradons that he plays on all of you, on all your minds. I'm the heavyweight champion of the world. Whether you like it or not."
With that, Holmes left the ring, got dressed and

headed into the night in one of a fleet of long, white Cadillacs.

Holmes has been an unfortunate champion. He came after - Ali said just between - the various reigns of Muhammad Ali. He has not captured the public's imagination as Ali did. Certainly he's fought well; it is no fault of Holmes that the best available heavyweights have been Ossie Ocasio, Lorenzo Zanon and Scott Ledoux. He knocked them out, didn't he?

Holmes won the title that was easy. Winning boxing's attention has been quite another thin It was clear to Holmes that the only way he could ever do that was to finally beat Ali, a 38-year-old three-time champion who thought it might be fun

to go on a diet. "I feel good about this," Holmes said before Thursday night's fight here. "This is my oppormusty to get recognition. And that's where Ali is helping me. When he announced his comeback, I received more recognition than in all my 13 years

of boxing."
Holmes, 30, has had trouble acquiring recognition for the same reason so many other fighters are obscure. He fought during Ali's generation He fought quietly, without fanfare or money. (Until he fought Earnie Shavers for the right to meet Ken Norton for the WBC title, he had never earned more than \$15,000 he is now worth about

His seven title defenses, part of his 35-0 ring record, did not add a whole lot to his legend, if you could say be had one. Just an honest worker, a decent craftsman in a division that is oo longer as exciting as it once was. No fault of his. Oh, he tried. He worked up a piece of poetry once, but he forgot the last line during the all-important reading. "Dammit." he said. "Well, you can all fill it in yourself." He tried to introduce a shuffle into his routine, but that did not work either. And while he is not without a sense of humor, his jokes, proclamations and light-hearted sentiments do not get a lot of circulation.

He is not Ali, that's for sure. All those days spent sparring with the master nine years agn did not teach him the secret of the Ali mystique. Only enough to overcome Ali.

## Bomb attack on Iraq plant brings risk of radiation

lear reactor they built and operated near Baghdad had escaped disaster in Monday's Iranian air raid. It was a lucky escape - and nobody seemed sure what would happen in another raid.

The main target of Monday's raid was apparently the thermal generating plant at Daura. It was on their return journey that the Iranian Phantoms launched rockets at the Isirak nuclear reactor — hitting only a few outlying buts.

A new attack, with Osirak as the main. target, could yet destroy the Iraqi plant and Iraq's plans for becoming a nuclear power - because a direct hit could release massive radioactive contamination. Engineers confirmed privately that the

main fuel element - twelve kilos of highly enriched uranium - had been delivered to the plant two months before the attack. The fuel was enriched up to 93 per cent with uranium 235 — the material used in the Nagasaki bomb. Eight kilos of this material is sufficient to make a bomb.

The reactor had been stopped for initial checks when the war broke out, engineers said. The nuclear core was oow in the reactor pool - presumably still vulnerable to air

Officials at the French atomic energy agency said the reactor operates at atmospheric pressure and is therefore free from the danger of depressurisation accidents like that of Three Mile Island.

However, a new attack could reactivate the fuel elements and, with cooling and other protection systems out of action through lack of electricity, masive contamination could

Some engineers thought the Iranians' decisioo to attack the conventional plant first was designed deliberately to deprive the nuclear center of power and of its protective system. An emergency of this kind occurred earlier this year at the French reprocessing plant at La Hague, when both main and emergency power supplies failed. Here, too, disaster was averted because the factory was temporarily out of action at the time.

The coatent of the annexe huts in Monday's raid was not disclosed. A French correspondent's report from Baghdad that they were fuel storage huts was not confirmed.

Engineers felt the Iraqis real luck on Monday was that they do not yet have commercial nuclear plants. If a ouclear power station was hit by a convectional bomb or rocket, a contamination disaster on the scale of a nuclear explosion, could result.

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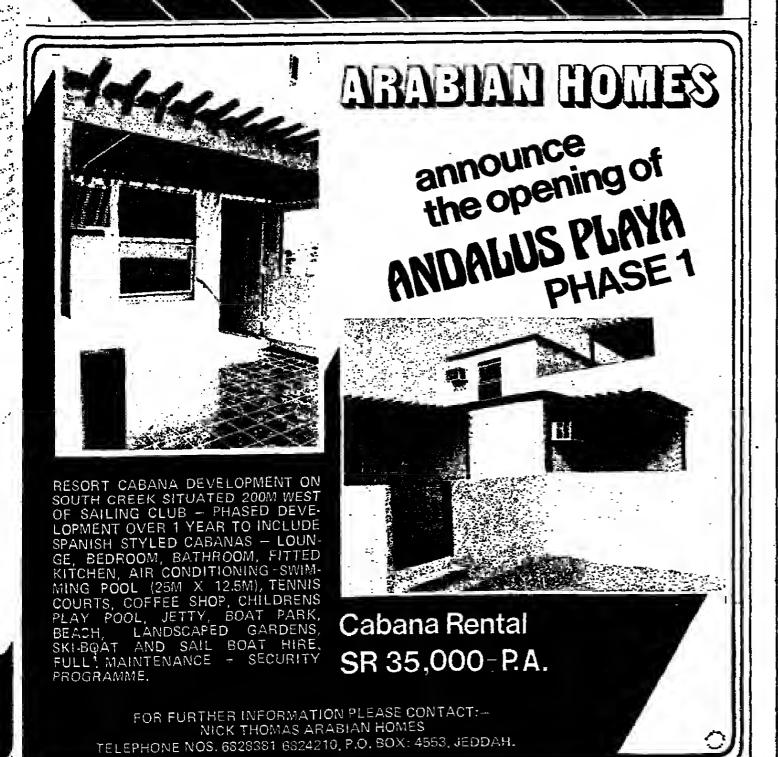
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## 3rd World demands dominate IMF, World Bank conference

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (R) — "It's not like the old days," said a Western banker at a gathering of the world financial leaders last week. There was a time when delegates at the annual meeting of the World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF) would sit politely hearing pleas for belp for the developing countries. The "rich club" of representatives from the industrial nations would get down to wbat most journalists regarded as the real busioess of how to adjust and smooth out the economies of the industrialised including Japan.

It did oot happen this year. The demaods of the Third World, backed by China which was attending the annual meeting for the first time, bave dominated the conference of finance ministers and central bankers from 141 conntries

Plans to increase aid and credit are being worked out by IMF and World Bank staff, raising the possibility — after the failure of a special United Nations debate on these problems last month — that some real steps may be taken. But there has been resistance to any drastic changes io the world monetary system and the steps will be cautious ones.

Several factors came together this year to give extra punch to the demands of the developing countries.

McNamara last address Robert McNamara gave his last address to the annual meeting as president of the World Bank, the ageocy which finances projects in the Third World.

McNamara, 64, who retires oext Juoe in what will be his 13th year as head of the organizatioo, made an emotional appeal for more aid to the developing couotries.

China took its seat oo the councils of the 1MF and World Bank, bringing oearly one billion people into the community of races

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whose governments contribute to and benefit from the two institutions.

It promptly joined in pressure by the developing countries to change the IMF, which was set up at Bretton Woods, New Hampshire, 1944, to create a financial sys-

China calls for new system Chinese Finance Minister Wang Bingqian told the meeting: "the international mooet-ary system established in Bretton Woods can

oo longer meet the needs of our oew cooditions and must be reformed so as to bring about the early establishment of a new equitable and rational international mooetary sys-Another element which strengthened the

Third World argumen: was the fact that the chairman at this year's conference was Tanzanian Fioance Minister Amir Jamal. Jamal's attack

Jamal opeoed the meeting with an attack on the IMF. He said it was out-of-date institution set up basically to prevent repeti-tions of the financial crash in the West in the 1990's and ioadequate to meet the oeeds of the world's new states.

"Why are the ministries of the North dealing with finaoce and economic affairs giving the appearance of being the last bastion of an existing system uowilling to change, except most reluctantly, slowly and marginally?" be

Statistics oo the desperate plight of the developing countries also had an impact. The industrial nations, which dominate the IMF because their larger contributions give them more votes, conceded the situation in the Third World urgently needed attention.

The developing countries have been particularly battered by rising oil prices and shrinking markets in the recession-hit West.

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The combined current account deficit of the non-oil developing countries has been projected for 1981 at \$80.billion, more than twice the 1978 deficit. By contrast, it is estimated that members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Couotries (OPEC) will amass something like \$115 billion in surplus funds this year, compared with \$60 billion in

Feeling their case was strooger than ever before, the developing countries made a strong bid easier credit and more direct aid and called for more powers on the IMF. The outcome is that several plans for action will be worked out by IMF staff in the coming

months.
The IMFs interim committee, its main policy-making body which called for more airing the Third World from both industrial and oil exporting nations will meet in Gabon next spring to review their progress.

One plan is to make loans under conditions which allow a longer period for a developing country to put its own house in order, usually, the IMF requires prompt action by loanreceiving governments to stabilize their finances by such methods as devaluations, credit-squeezes, cuts in public spending and consumer subsidies.

More funds needed

Members' access to IMF funds will probably be increased, giving more credit back to countries in proportion to their original quotas. For its new policies, the LMF will need more funds and the interim committee suggests it look first to its members' govern-

Under a scheme to boost funds, the IMF has already called for 20 increase in financial backing next year. The committee urged govemmeots to confirm this as soon as possible. It will then draw up plans for further increases in the years ahead. Subsidy Account

The IMF's executive board has agreed to establish a subsidy account designed to reduce the cost to low-income countries of the use to its resources.

The board is also studying whether it can give temporary financial belp to low-income countries when they are hit by crop failures or sbarp rises in food prices. The interim committee is studying the possibility of linking IMF credit arrangements with a member country's development needs.

U.S. objections But the United States has objected to this and Britaio has also warned that the IMF should not be changed into an aid-giving agency from its present role belping countries with balance of payments problems.

Japan, too, has warned against any basic changes in the IMF. These countries have stressed that the IMF and its unit of account, the SDR (Special Drawing Right), must maintain their credit worthiness in international financial circles,

'A bid by the developing countries for an additional increase in the IMFs financial backing from governments, on top of the one already planned for next year, ran into oppos-



UNIONS RALLY: Metalworkers unions staged a big raily in front of Flat automaker factory in Turin last week. Blockade of produc-tion and shipments took place. Management of Flat had decided to lay off about 24,000 workers until the end of the year

### Abu Dhabi to establish branch of National Bank in Washington

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (WP) - The National Bank of Abu Dhabi has received tentative approval from Federal regulators to establish a branch in Washington that the Arab state plans to us as a major vehicle for recycling its oil money throughout the Western hemisphere. The Abo Dhabi International Bank is completing requirements for a charter set by the U.S. comp troller of the curreocy and is scheduled to open for business later this year, said a representative of

the bank regulatory agency.

The Washingtoo bank will be a wholly owned subsidiary of the National Bank of Abu Dhahi, which has assets of \$4.5 billion and is the fifth-largest financial institution in the Middle: East. Abu Dhabi is already arhong the most aggressive Arab states in investing in the United States, and the Washington office is expected to lead to further participation in American financial

"They want to establish a base in Washington for their investments in the Western Hemisphere," said David Toufic Mizrahi, publisher of Mideast Report, an international newsletter on Middle Eastern finance. "Their investments in the United States and South America will be channeled through this

The Abu Dhabi Bank will be the second

foreign financial institution to set up shop in the district of Columbia under provisions of a oew foreign banking law that recently went into effect. The National Bank of Pakistan opened an office here earlier this year.

Abu Dhabi International Bank will also be the second Washingtoo banking investment by residents of Abu Dhabi.

The royal family of Abu Dhabi is part of the group of three Middle Eastern investors who have agreed to pay \$160 million for Financial General Bankshares Inc., the thirdlargest banking company in the Washington area. That transaction is awaiting the approval of state and federal regulators.

Abu Dhabi is the biggest oil producer among the United Arab Emirates, a confederation of seven desert sheikhdoms, whose oil exports bring in about \$375 million a

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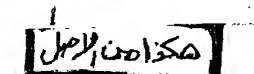
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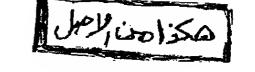
of Italy's dominant Christian Democratic

Party, leaves a meeting with President

Sandro Pertini, who summoned him late

last week and asked that he form Italy's

40th postwar government.



### Cruise ship ablaze

## 500 airlifted from Alaska seas

JUNEAU, Alaska, Oct. 5 (R) - Helicopters succeeded in plucking the last passengers from lifeboats io storm-tossed Alaskao seas early Sunday morning after a Dutch cruise ship with more than 500 people aboard caught fire oo a holiday voyage to the Far East. More thao 12 hours after the fire broke oot in the ship's engine room, about 120 of its passengers and crew were still waiting to be picked up. Worsening weather hampered the rescue operation but lifeboats finally were deared of passengers, the U.S. Coast Guard

The 8,566-ton cruise ship Prinsendam was left to drift ablaze from stem to stern after the last 40 crew members who had stayed aboard to fight the fire were taken off by helicopter. The coast guard said flames bad spread throughout the ship and it had developed a 10-degree list.

All the 320 passeogers, mostly elderly American tourists, and 150 of the crew abandoned ship shortly after the fire broke out. The coast guard said all those who had beeo

Filmed Tekere

## imbabwe deports BBC men

SALISBURY, Oct. 5 (AP) -- A five-mao ilm crew of the British Broadcasting Corp. was released from custody and deported from Zimbabwe Saturday night, said BBC editor George Carey.

The men were arrested Tuesday night at a Salisbury hotel after police received a report they had filmed Manpower Minister Edgar Tekere at the farm where he and seven of his bodyguards allegedly killed a white farmer on

Ang. 4.
The five — David Lomax, Michael Sononer, Patrick O'Shea, John Tellick and Michael Duffield - were held at Salisbury central police statioo under the sweeping emergency powers, law and order (maintenance) act oo unspecified allegations.

Carey, editor of the BBC News Night

program which assigned the crew to Zimbabwe, said he made application to the direc-1 lor of public prosecutions, Christopher Glaum, for their instant release on the grounds they could not lawfully be detained under the emergeocy power regulations.

The editor, who arrived here from Loodon Thursday morning, said oeither side made any concessions as to whether the arrest of the crew was lawful. But he said "Mr. Glaum agreed the men could leave this evening."



However, they were held io custody until their departure, he said.

Tekere and his men are scheduled to go on trial Nov. 3 in connection with the shooting death of Gerald William Adams, 68, at Stamford farm some 17 kilometers cortheast of

The police are investigating the possibility that Tekere violated the terms of his bail hy talking to the BBC meo.

#### Salisbury silent on white exodus

SALISBURY, Oct. 5 (Guardian) - White. emigration from Zimbahwe continues to gather pace with the latest official figures showing an exodus of nearly 2,000 people in August, the highest moothly emigration figpre since 1978 wheo the Guerrilla war was at

The August tally brings to 7,600 the number of people who have officially left Zimbabwe since independence and probably puts total white emigration in this period at around 10,000.

Not all whites leaving the country complete emigration formalities since the amount of cash emigrants can take with them is lower than the annual overseas holiday allowance. As a result actual white emigration is assumed to 25 per cent higher than the official figures indicate.

Since independence the emigration figure has risen steadily and at the current rate this year's exodus could easily be higher than io 1978 when more than 16,000 people left the country. Immigratioo, meanwhile, continues in hover around 500 a month.

Although white politicians are likely to use the figures to claim dwiodling white confidence in Robert Mugabe's government, the rate of emigration is not being greeted with any dismay in government circles. While urging whites to stay the govern-

those with few skills to over or for whom the adjustment to black rule proves impossible. Government ministers have said privately that Zimbabwe can afford to lose up to 20,000 whites a year for the next three or four years without damaging the economy.

ment is happy to accept the departure of

Many of those leaving so far this year bave been members of the former Rhodesian army whose departure following the ending of the war was expected. However there is some concern that the latest wave of violence may hasten the departure of whites whose skills the country can ill-afford to lose.

Following attacks on white farms near Salisbury last week and a greoade attack on a bar in the capital at the weekend, many whites are questioning the prime minister's ability to control either his guerrillas or grass roots supporters.

But if white confidence bas been shaken in recent weeks it is not likely to be reflected in the emigration figures until the eod of the year. Many whites have contracts which eod in December while others will want to wait until the end of the school year before deciding whether to stay on in Zimbabwe.

"Wash and dry teacups before you put

them away. Do ootserve guests with a dirty

#### Clean nails, clothes win friends, Communists told clothes, all reflect on the reliability of your

TOKYO, Oct. 5 (Guardian) — Japao's 400,000 Communist Party members have been reproved for failing to observe proper etiquette and neglecting their appearance. A document circulated to the paid-up member-ship beseeches the party faithful to be clean and courteous, and provides detailed guidance bow to achieve a hetter image Japan's Communists, who regularly push political pamphlets through the nations letterboxes, while the other parties only take this precau-nion on the eve of elections, probably have less time than most ordinary people to bother with unvia like dress and behavior.

They are continually harried by the party to increase sales of Akahata (Red Plag.) the daily newspaper which earns the hulk of the revenue of the Japan Communist Party which has 41 seats in two houses of parliament and regularly wins teo per cent of the

popular vote. "On Building Social and Democratic Manners" as the instruction pamphlet is entitled, may be aimed at bringing the party faithful in good odor with housewives when they go from donr to door promoting the Red Flag. That at least, is the interpretation of the magazine Shukan Bunshun, which reproduces the document io its latest edition.

"It is advisable to wear clean clothes and underwear as people teod to ootice it more than than you think," party members are

"It is better to dress conservatively if you want to mix easily. It is not desirable to strip off to your vest in the office," the document

solemny instructs. 'A bread, dirty nails, dandruff, and rips to

#### Trudeau seeks act

OTTAWA, Oct. 5 (R) - Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau can expect tough resistance Monday from opposition and provincial leaders to his plans for legislation to bring Canada's century-old constitution across from Britain,

He is asking Parliament, without provincial assent, to approve a resolution calling on Britain to amend the 1867 British North America Act, which founded the Canadian federation, to send it to Canada and to renounce any future right to pass laws for this country. Trudeau wants the constitution brought across hy the anniversary of Cana-

dian independence next July 1. No objection is expected from Britain, and the 10 Canadian provinces and opposition leaders accept the principle of bringing the constitutioo across. But they don't like the way Trudeau is proceeding, without agreement from the provinces, and some of them object to the contents of amendments the resolution will ask Britain to make.

in opeo life rafts bad beeo accounted for and no serious injuries had beo reported.

The last stages of the rescue operation were touch-and-go hecause of winds of up to 80 km ao hour and six meter high waves. The coast guard said it was taking up to 10 minutes to winch each survivor aboard a helicopter for transfer to the oearby U.S. oil tanker Williamburgh,

Another tanker, Intrepid, and three coast guard vessels reached the area later.

The Prinsendam left Glacier Bay, Vancouver, on Friday for a 30-day cruise to Yokohama, Singapore and the Indonesian islands. Its last port of call was Sitka, a wildlife island off southern Alaska.

Canadian helicopters and Buffalo aircraft joined the rescue operation wheo four U.S. Coast Guard helicopters, first on the sceoe, began to ruo out of fuel and had to return to

A coast guard spokesman said the worseoiog weather had forced officials to abandoo plans to airlift survivors to an air force medical ceoter in Yakutat, 120 miles oorth of the hurning ship. Thirteen were flown to Alaska by the returning helicopters but the others would have to remaio ahoard the William burgh until it reached the port of Valdez, the coast guard said.

A spokesmao for the ship's owners, the Hollaod-America line, said in The Hague that its passeogers were mostly American. The officers were Dutch, the crew mostly

It is oot the first time the Prinsedam has caught fire. The Holland-American spokesman said there was a hlaze while the ship was being built oear Rotterdam seven years ago and the lauoch was delayed.

#### Cancer rampant in soldiers from Nevada N-site

CHICAGO, Ulinois, Oct. 5 (AP) - U.S. soldiers engaged io maneuvers oear the site of 1957 nuclear homh tests in Nevada developed leukemia at more than twice the expected rate, a newly-published study says.

According to preliminary studies, nine leukemia cases occurred among the 3,224 soldiers, compared with an expected incidence of 3.5 cases, the article reported, All but one of the nine are dead.

"If not a chance occurrence, the apparent excess of leukemia suggests that such persons may have received mare radiation than previously supposed or that low doses of radiation may be more carcinogenic than past estimates predicted." said the article in the recent Journal of American Medical Associa .

The study by National Center for Disease Control doctors Glyn Caldwell, Delle Kelley and Clark Heath Jr. focuses on the Aug. 1957 detooation of a 44-kilotoo ouclear

The doctors, who have been studying the effects of the detonation for more than three years, had reported in the CDC's" Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report" last year that eight cases of leukemia bad been found. Their report in JAMA includes the discovery of the ninth case and details about their sur-

The nice men with leukemia were among the troops who saw the detonation and later practiced maneuvers in an area possibly contaminated with fallout from the bomb, the

To date, the doctors have obtained and analyzed 2,459 of the soldiers' case histories.

#### Peking sings new tune

## Mao anthem may change

PEKING, Oct. 5 (AFP) - The Communist Chinese parliament has been asked to change the wording of the country's oational anthem, which calls on the people to "March for ever under the banner of Mao Tse-Tung". New China News Agency, reporting last

mooth's dehates in the national assembly, said a motion called for the restoration of the original words of the anthem, which were changed in 1978.

Observers said the motion was an indirect critcism of Communist Party Chairman Hua Goofeng, who was responsible for the change. A close collaborator of Hua, Zhaog Pinghua, headed the special committee of the party propaganda department which wrote the oew words.

The current anthem, which in fact has oever been sung in public, eods with the words, "Let us march, march, for ever waving the banner of Mao Tse-Tung."

Observers ooted that this was no longer in line with the curreot process of "de-Maoisarion", includiog the removal of his portraits from almost all public places.

The author of the original anthem, Tian Han, who died as a result of "persecutioo" during the Cultural Revolution, was also posthumousty rehabilitated last year.

Another song praising Mao may also have its words modified if the suggestions of a literary review are adopted. The review, Dushu, pointed out that the revolutionary hymn "The East is Red," broadcast by China's first artificial satellite launched in April, 1970, described Mao as the oational "Savior" and was thus in contradiction with a more venerable Communist anthem, the 'internationale', which proclaims there is no supreme savior.

#### Barren trees probed

HONG KONG, Oct. 5 (AFP) - Chinese scientists are trying to unravel the mystery of a 100-year-old tea tree with white leaves which cannot he reproduced. Once the tree is moved to another place it immediately turns green, New China News Ageocy siad io a report from Hangzhou, the east China resort

The tree was found in a mountain village aod was described by Professor Zhuang Wanfang as a parity io China as well as in the world. Zhuaog is vice-president of the Chinese Tea Society.

The drink made from the tea has a particular flavor, the agency said.

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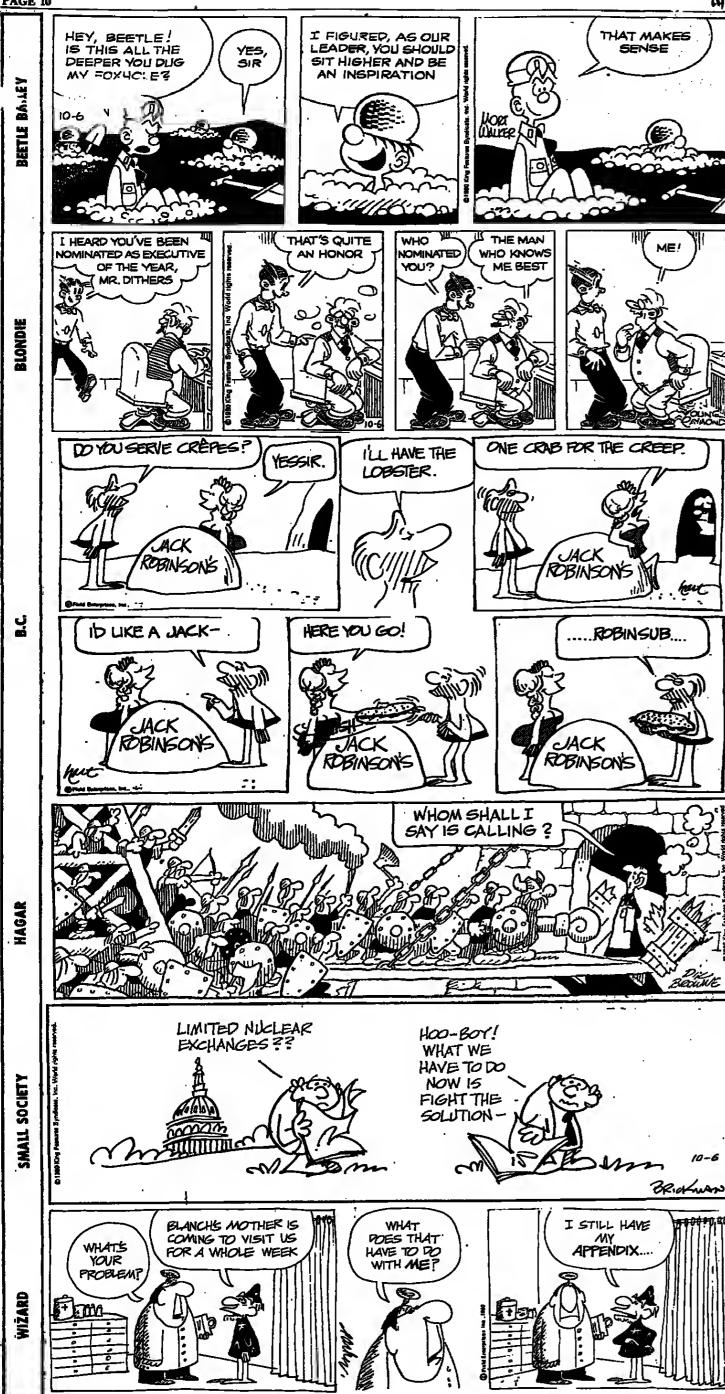
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Opening lead - eight of hearts.

The percentage play does not always succeed, and sometimes — when you choose to follow the indicated mathematical probability - it winds up proving very expensive.

Consider this deal played in the World Bridge Olympiad in the match between Canada and the United States. When the Canadians held the North-South cards at the first table, they got to seven spades on the sequence shown and West led a heart, won by South with the Declarer played the queen of spades at trick two and, after West followed suit with the deuce, South had to make a critical decision. After giving full weight to all factors — including East's "unusual notrump" overcall that represented great length in bearts and clubs - South finessed the queen.

This turned out to be an unfortunate decision, because East scored his singleton king and the contract went down one - 100 points. Had declarer gone up with the ace of spades at trick two he would have scored 2,210 points instead! It is hard to quarrel with South's judgment in the matter, since he made the play that was likely to win far more often than it would lose. Perhaps the finger of blame can be pointed more correctly at South for his failure to pass six spades instead of taking a

very precarious stab at seven.

When the U.S. North-South pair played the hand, they got to six spades and stopped there. West led the jack of clubs, which South ruffed. Declarer, taking no chances, played the queen of spades, went up with the ace, caught the king, and thus made the slam with an overtrick for a score of 1,460 points. Ironically, the declarer who bid six made seven, while the declarer who bid seven made

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Your Individual Horoscope

Frances Drake : FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1986

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth Sign.

(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) A full and productive day on the job brings you a sense of well-being and accomplish-ment. Avoid distracting influences.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20) Work on a creative project should prove rewarding.
Uncertainty about your
romantic feelings will clear up
by day's end.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Invite an old friend to your house. Home entertainments or home improvement projects should go well. Add that decorative touch!

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Write letters to family members. Stay in touch with kin. Evening is favored for going out to someplace new? Use extra concentration on the job.

(July 23 to Aug. 22) A day of reflection is indicated to sort out conflicting. elements that may be disturbing you in career or personal VIRGO

(Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Physical activity could lighten the intellectual load at the moment. Too much introspection can blue the b LIBRA

(Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Though you'll do some socializing now, your best accomplishments will come when by yourself. Avoid gossip and distrust hanches

(Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) An old friend is a help to you businesswise. Avoid lending or borrowing money. Expect a busy day of socializing with others.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Career interests are accented favorably, but avoid grandiose schemes. Mixing business with pleasure has its advantages now.

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(Dec. 22 to Jan. 19)
Meetir gs with publishers lawyers and school officials are favored. Seek advice or important career matters, En joy new interests. AQUARIUS

(Jan.2 to Feb. 18) A good time to seek a loan but keep expectations within reasonable limits. The p.m. brings new business ideas or PISCES

(Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) You're in love, but don't forget to attend to important career matters. You needn't lose your ambition. Partners bring luck.

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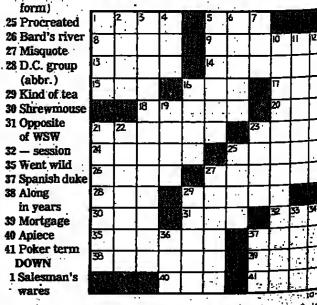
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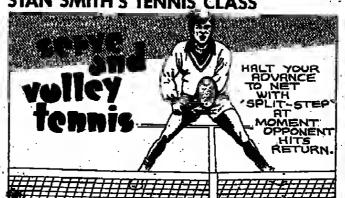
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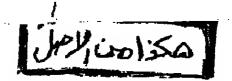
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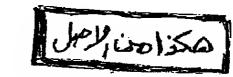
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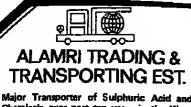
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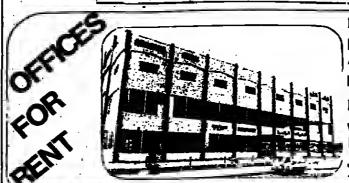
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### King seeks compromise

## Belgium premier resigns

BRUSSELS, Oct. 5 (AP) - King Baudouin began meeting with poliocal leaders over the weekend in an effort to avoid the fall of the government of Prime Minister Wil-

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servatives, Christian Democrats and Socialists, formally offered his resignation to the king on Saturday afternoon. It followed a rift within the government over how to cut Bel-

The premier, who beads a coalition of Con-



Threatens strikers

## Kania hits party chiselers

WARSAW, Oct. 5 (AFP) - Communist Party first secretary Stanislaw Kania Saturday warned abusers of government privilege that they would be exposed and punished, announced strict economic reforms and threatened to cut off talks with all workers who failed to act in Poland's best interests.

"Every case of dishonesty and abuse will be analyzed meticulously by the control commission, the supreme control chamber and the prosecutor's office," he promised during a speech tu a plenary session of the party central committee. "Cases discovered

will be severely punished."

Owners of villas and country houses, he said, would have their payments scrutinized over the past 10 years, and illegal acquisitions

The central committee resumed its plenary session Sunday after adjourning Saturday night. The session was again to discuss questions of "urganization," particularly involving changes in party leadership.

Concerning the economy, Kania warned Saturday that improper purchases of foreign manufacturing licences would also result in severe sanctions, and added that a series of measures would be presented for parliamen-

tary approval next week to restrict investments, and ban all long-term speculadon. Noting "extreme tensiun" in the food markets. Kania also annuunced an increase in food imports frum the Soviet Union and other eastern countries, hut could promise no

improvement in meat supplies until the end Kania said the economic reform package would also include means to increase productivity, grant autonomy to various enterprises and give the central government more coor-

dinated economic development controls. Concerning the workers, Kania refrained from specifically naming the new union federation "solidarity" during his speech, but denounced the one-hour strike called by the

"There is no possible dialogue except with



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RIYADH Tel · 4788572 those who, while criticizing the negative phenomena (in Poland), speak out in favor of a renewal for the good of the country."

He also promised that the government would be "vigilant and firm towards manifestations of anarchy and activities directed against the bases of socialism." Kanja also criticized former First Secretary Edward Gierek and former Prime Minister Pyotr Jaroszewicz for what he called the "arrogance" and their unwillingness to take criticism, and added that their excesses had stemmed from economic successes from 1970 to

One section of the polithuro members had tried several omes to correct their errors and bring attention to the negative but without succe



#### Soviets claim wreck

TOKYO, Oct. 5 (AFP) - The Soviet Union has laid a claim to a sunken Czarist Russian ship being salvaged by Japanese treasure hunters off Nagasaki, southern

The Soviet Charge d'Affaires in Tokyo. Boris Zinovjev, told senior Japanese Foreign Ministry official Tofhiaki Muto that the 8.524-ton cruiser Admiral Nakhimov and all its assets belong to the Soviet Union and any search or salvage operatio0 concerning the ship should be subject to Soviet approval.

The Admiral Nakhimov, the flagship of the

Russian Baltic Fleet, was torpedoed and sunk in May 1905 during the Russo-Japanese war while carrying gold coins, gold bars, plannum ingots and other jewels estimated to be worth millions of dollars.

Nippon Marine Development Co. of Tokyo located the ship at a point about 9.6 kilometers southeast of Tsushima Island off Nagasaki last June and announced the discovery of a placinum ingot, valued at about \$238,000 in mid-September.

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A communique of the royal palace at

Laeken in suburban Brussels said the king will decide later whether to accept the resignadon of Belgium's 26th post-war guvern-ment. It is expected the king will not officially act un the resignation until at least Monday or

In the meantime, the monarch is to meet with political leaders to see if the current crisis cannot be ended with the fall uf the government that was formed only four and a half months ago. Disagreement within the coalioon came to a head in recent days when the conservative government members insisted the proposed savings of \$500 million through cuts in unemployment, sickness and pension benefits were insufficient.

The Conservatives also found proposed increases in the national health insurance premiums that would have yielded \$413 mil-

lion in revenue not enough.

At a press conference after visiting the king to offer his resignation, Martens insisted his proposed measures "were balanced."

Until King Baudouin accepts or rejects the resignation of Martens, a Flemish Christian Democrat, the government remains in office. If the monarch accepts the resignation, Martens will likely be asked to remain in office as a caretaker premiar.

At his press conference Martens insisted his coalidon partners "agreed in essence" on the reform of the social security program that has left the country \$7.2 billion in the red. He said, however, "There remained differences of opinion that are minimal."

The coalition of Christian Democrats, Socialists and Conservatives hold a 177-seat majority in the 212-member Chamber of Representatives. The government needs at least a two-thirds majority to complete a controversial program of constitutional reform aimed at granting powers of self-government to Belgium's ever-feuding Flemish and French-speaking communities,

Martens cannot continue without the Conservatives who hold 37 seats and finish the changes in the constitution as he will no longer have the necessary two-thirds parliamentary majority.

The first phase of the reforms - that involved the creation of regional assemblies and executives in Flanders, Belgium's Flemish-speaking northern half, and French-speaking Wallonia in the south took effect on Oct. 1. Still to be settled is the future of Brussels - an officially bilingual but overwhelmingly French-speaking city entirely situated in Flemish-speaking Bel-

#### Foreigners fill gap in American science schools

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5 (WP) - Non-Americans buy up houses in Beverly Hills and U.S. banks and the stock of steel and auto companies, but one less-noticed foreign invasion is in American science education.

The United States produces only about 1,000 Ph. D. physicists every year, and about 320 of those are foreigners. In engineering. loreigners make up more than 33 per cent of the Ph. D. graduates.

Although three-quarters of the foreigners will take the degrees and go home, the number who stay here to get full-time jobs is growing and the total is between 5 per cent and 10 per cent higher than it was a decade

The influx of foreign students into graduate science studies in America has two chief causes - first, more foreigners can afford to send children here to get an education. The American dollar is worth less, and they have more of their currency to trade for dollars.

Second, American students have been turning away from some basic sciences, studying at the graduate level especially, for the past decade. Because of this, shortages of students have developed and chairmen of physics departments have filled the gaps with foreigners, according to Susanne Ellis, statistician fur the American Institute of Physics.

Thus some statisticians feel, the United States may face a shortage of scientists in physics and chemistry both in basic research and in industry in the next decade.

The number of graduate physics students bas dropped in 10 years from 15,000 to 10.000 a year, according to Ellis.

In chemistry, the number of students in graduate school has dropped about 20 per cent, from 2,200 a decade ago to 1,540 this year, according to Robert Newman of the

American Chemical Society. Students began to turn away from physics and chemistry in 1970, when economic conditions forced cuts in research funds, and when space and nuclear research programs began to narrow. The number of jobs in universioes stopped growing, and science and engineering jobs available in industry dropped to the lowest mark since Deutsch, Shea and Evans Inc. began keeping an index in



MEASURING THE MOUNTAIN: A U.S. Geological Survey worker adjosts an electronic distance measurer which uses beams to detect swelling or shrinking of the Mount St. Helens volcano. The volcano's cone is smoking in the background.

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## Afghans ride secret 'rails' to Pakistan

PESHAWAR, Pakistan Oct, 5 (AP) -There are no timetables of first-class service on the underground railroad transporting refugees out of Soviet-occupied Afghanistan. Some are guided to neighboring Pakistan

on foot through mountain passes sown with exploding anti-personnel devices. Others ride 30 to a van built for 12, or stuffed in metal cases and loaded on trucks along with other contraband.

There are networks operating along the lines of traditional tribal hospitality of "melmastia." The profit motive fuels the remainder which charge the equivalent of hundreds of dollars - an exorbitant sum by local standards - for the ride to Pakistan.

Many Afghans, particularly middle-class city-dwellers and their draft-age songs, pay willingly and accept the risks. Since the Soviet-sponsored government in Kabul tightened travel restrictions and made passports practically inaccessible in recent weeks.

the underground route is the only way.

Our guides exploded three booby-traps by throwing rocks at them," said Abdul Wahid Ali, 37, who was a foreign ministry official before defecting in August.

Not so lucky are the more than dozen patients at Lady Reading Hospital in this northwest Pakistani city who have lost feet and hands from the explosives, some shaped like childrens toys.

A stepped-up conscription drive to replenish Afghan army ranks depleted by defecoons, has been a boon to the underground railroad in the past month. Scores of draft dodgers arrive daily in Pesbawar, on the opposite end of the Khyber Pass from the Afghan border. Two teenagers escaping military service were found suffocated when the metal trunks in which they were hidden

were opened. Aside from discovery by Afghan officials, dangers include ambush by roving bands of resistance fighters or treachery by guides who rob and sometimes kill those who hired them, Afghan sources said.

One of the best-organized operations was described by an American-educated university professor who recently came here with his wife, two children and a friend. "I paid 35,000 Afghanis (about \$815) for three adults to be brought from Kandhar to Chaman in Pakistan," he said. "Children were

Kandahar is a southeastern provincial capital which was once a thriving market center. "I was amazed how things ran like clockwork with each of the 12 men in the operation carrying out a specific function," said the academic, who requested anonymity.

His family was among the 30 passengers crammed into a van designed for less than half that number, who were brought to a safe bouse four hours outside Kandahat.

After lunch, they waited until nightfall wheo they were driven across a trackless desert north of the manned border crossing. Some of those aboard had come from Kabul, and others from as far as Badakhshan province, in the extreme northeast of Afghanis-

#### 'Skimpers' try Everest

LONDON, Oct. 5 (AFP) - Eight British climbers leave for Nepal next month to attempt an ascent of Everest on a shoestring budget of \$36,000, it was announced here.

The team, lead by 28-year-old Adam Rouse from Sheffield, will attack the west ridge of the world's highest mountain without guides or Sherpa porters. They are the only Bridsh party to have permission to climb Everest from Nepal in the next 10 years because the mountain is fully booked by expedidons until 1991.

The \$30.000 budget makes the climb the cheapest-ever attempt of Everest.

"At about 9:30, someone said soldiers are coming. The ladies cried and everyone was worried," be said, "But the people we spotted were only smugglers, carrying goods to Pakistan, and they were as afraid of us as we were of them.

The van finally rolled into a small smug-

disgorged its exhausted but relieved passengers. The middle-age organizer of the underground route said he had been transporting the me people to Pakistan for more than a year. "He told us be was working for the Majahiddin in the and did not make any personal profit on us."

the professor said. "But I medic be did."

PARIS, Oct. 5 (AP) — A powerful bomb exploded early Sunday on the Boulevard St. Germaine in the Latin Quarter of Paris and police said a woman tourist from the Netherands was badly injured.

The bomb apparently was planted in the woman's car and she was caught by the blast when she got in. Sources said 33-year-old Carmelia Van Pusselen, from the town of Brunssum, may lose both ber legs. There appeared to be a link between the

bombing and the wave of anti-Jewish attacks that have rocked the Frnch capital over the past two weeks and spurred large Jewish protest marches in Paris Saturday.

An anonymous caller told the French news agency Agence France Presse that the bomb had been detonated by the revolutionary Nationalist Movement, a hitherto unkown organization, to protest the "strangers' invasion' in Paris Sturady.

The statement appeared to refer to the mass marches through the streets of Paris Lei like Saturday by Jews and their supporters pro- lettle in : testing the bombing of a synagogue Friday 2001 p. night that killed three passersby and injured a 10041 ; dozen others. "We declare war against subversive forces," the caller said.

Police said they had no idea why Mrs. Van Pusselen's car was bombed. They quoted her idvale. husband, who was not identified, as saying aliten. the family came to Paris for a boliday two ays ago and that they were not Jewish.
Police have arrested 13 people believed to days ago and that they were not Jewish.

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